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Dorothy Regina Ibbs
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John William Patterson

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Night Ohio Pick 3	0-8-9
Night Ohio Pick 4	3-9-4-2
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Friday's Question

33% 67%

No snow yet.
Are you disappointed?

Yes No

Today's question
Is there any realistic way to prevent shootings in school buildings?

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Killer murdered mother then massacred 26

NEWTOWN, Conn. (AP) — A man killed his mother at their home and then opened fire Friday inside the elementary school where she taught, massacring 26 people, including 20 children, as youngsters covered in fear to the sound of gunshots reverberating through the building and screams echoing over the intercom.

The 20-year-old killer, carrying at least two handguns, committed suicide at the school, bringing the death toll to 28, authorities said.

The rampage, coming less than two weeks before Christmas, was the nation's second-deadliest school shooting, exceeded only by the Virginia Tech massacre that left 33 people dead in 2007.



"Our hearts are broken today," a tearful President Barack Obama, struggling to maintain his composure, said at the White House. He

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— A tearful President Barack Obama, struggling to maintain his composure and calling for "meaningful action" to prevent such shootings

called for "meaningful action" to prevent such shootings. "As a country, we have been through this too many times," he said. Police shed no light on the motive

for the attack. The gunman, Adam Lanza, was believed to suffer from a personality disorder and lived with his mother, said a law enforcement official who was briefed on the investigation but was not authorized to discuss it.

Panicked parents looking for their children raced to Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, a prosperous New England community of about 27,000 people 60 miles north-east of New York City.

Police told youngsters at the kindergarten-through-fourth-grade school to close their eyes as they were led from the building so that

See SHOOTINGS, 2A



Cleaning up after accident

Salem firefighter Brandon Lucas sweeps up the area where this westbound Dodge Dakota pickup struck a tree and was struck by an eastbound GMC Yukon on East State Street near Smith Oil and the St. Paul Church property at 1:12 p.m. Friday. The driver of the pickup, Jay Frantz, 23, of Buck Road, Salem, was cited for failure to control and refused treatment for minor injuries. The report said he bent over to check his gear shift lever and traveled left of center. Kathleen Wilk, 66, of North Market Street, Lisbon, was driving east and tried to avoid the pickup, but struck it in the side. She was not injured. (Salem News photo by J.D. Creer)

SALEM

Panezott will be next chief

Will succeed retiring Floor as head of police department

By MARY ANN GREIER
Staff Writer
Sgt. J.T. Panezott, a 23-year city police veteran who's been waging a war against drugs for most of his career, will become Salem's new police chief effective Feb. 1.



PANEZOTT
"I'm thrilled. I can't wait. We've got a bunch of great guys and I'm looking forward to working with them,"
See CHIEF, 6A

Man connected with Circle K armed robbery sentenced

By DEANNE JOHNSON
Staff Writer
LISBON — Charles Crank, the Salem man convicted of providing the disguise and serving as the look out during an armed robbery at Circle K in June, was sentenced Friday to five years in prison.

Despite prior objections from Assistant County Prosecutor John Gamble, Judge Scott Washam allowed Crank to remain in the county for the next 21 days so his mother can visit him before he is sent to prison. The cost of housing him while he remains in the county jail will rest with the county.

Crank's attorney Charley Kidder had requested a three-year term and had asked for additional time here so Crank's mother, who is reportedly

► COLUMBIANA COUNTY
hospitalized can visit him. Crank, 54, East State Street, Salem, told Washam his father recently died while he was incarcerated, and his mother needs him to help her get through this difficult time.

Gamble pointed out Crank should have thought about these things before he assisted Justin Zimmerly in committing armed robbery. Zimmerly pleaded guilty in November to aggravated robbery in connection to the crime. He is scheduled to be sentenced in January.

"I had no idea of the magnitude of it," Crank said of the first-degree felony charge of complicity to aggravated robbery he pleaded to on Nov. 26. "If I would have known, in the

future, I would steer clear of anything like this."

Crank said all he did was walk into the Circle K to make certain no one was inside, but the clerk before the robbery occurred. Kidder said at no point did his client have the weapon which was used, a knife.

According to police reports at the time, Zimmerly entered the store at 11:28 p.m. and approached the male cashier while wearing a toboggan hat with eye holes pulled over his face. He did not go behind the counter, but demanded money from the cash register and fled east on foot after taking \$128.

It was reported at the time of Zimmerly's arrest that police believed video surveillance showed he did not act alone.

Crank will serve the five years

consecutively to the 12 months he is currently serving for failure to comply with a law enforcement official. He was sentenced in September after pleading guilty to that charge in February.

Court documents state in that case, he attempted to elude state Trooper Michael Smith in March 2011 by driving the wrong way on state Route 11 until stop sticks were deployed in his path. Crank was charged with OVI during the same incident, a charge he pleaded to in Columbiana County Municipal Court in January of this year.

Gamble pointed out Crank has an extensive criminal record. In county municipal court, Crank has a list of convictions including several counts of receiving stolen property, a possession of drugs charge and theft.

Parents express concern over another Columbiana coach

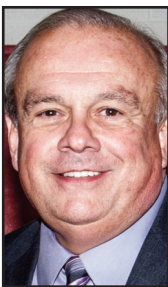
By KATIE SCHWENDEMAN
Staff Writer
COLUMBIANA — Another head coach is under scrutiny in the city school district.

Wendy and Kevin Pancake approached the board of education this week with concerns about varsity girls basketball head coach Ron Moschella and the teams' Sunday practices.

Until recently their daughter played on the team but opted to quit, they said.

"I can't force my belief on other people, but seven days a week, they are overwhelmed," Mrs. Pancake said.

She added that while Moschella has "done a great job" as coach she believes the athletes are being pushed too far and losing opportuni-



MOSCHELLA

ties to study and "just be a kid."

Several times during the meeting the Pancakes said they are displeased with the "mandatory" Sunday practices, although Superintendent Don Mook and Moschella later stated those practices are not mandatory, and never have been.

Board member Tony Roncone, whose daughter plays on the team, also said during the meeting that it was his understanding the Sunday practices were not mandatory.

The Pancakes claimed they were not making a fuss because their daughter is no longer on the team, but were more worried about a precedent being set that would force all students participating in extra-curricular activities to be involved seven days a week with no time to be a child, spend a day with their family or keep up with their studies.

Mrs. Pancake went on to say that their family has always made it a point not to allow their children to

participate in sports or events on Sundays. Her daughter approached Moschella about the Sunday practices, but he continued with them anyway, she said.

As a result, her daughter fell behind because she was not present to go over the new plays with the team on Sundays, she added.

Moschella was not at the board meeting, but when contacted later said he was already aware of their concerns and had met with them prior to the meeting and believed that the issue had been laid to rest.

Mook, whose sophomore daughter Baylie participates on the team, also said he was aware the coach had met with the Pancakes.

Both men said they would never "hold it against" any athlete that opts not to participate in voluntary Sunday practices for any sport or extra-curricular activity.

"For the board and myself, we have never advocated mandatory (Sunday) practices for athletics or

extra-curricular activities ... we absolutely, positively respect anybody in any faith and would never punish them for not participating," Mook said.

As for the Pancakes' request that a policy be put in place to prohibit Sunday practices, Mook said it can't be done.

He and Moschella pointed out that girls' basketball games in the Inter Tri-County League (ITCL) are held on Mondays and Thursdays while boys' games are held on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Mook said coaches should be able to have the option to hold voluntary practices on Sundays for athletes wanting to brush up on their skills before a game the next day.

He and Moschella also pointed out that fourth-, fifth- and sixth-grade ITCL basketball games are always held on Sundays. Mook said that Sunday practices will "never" be mandatory for the upper grades,

See COACH, 2A

Good morning Dorothy Long. Thank you for subscribing to the Salem News.

WEATHER

THE FORECAST

AREA: Today...Partly cloudy in the morning...Then mostly cloudy with a chance of rain showers in the afternoon. Highs in the upper 40s. Southeast winds 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40 percent. Tonight...Rain showers likely. Lows in the upper 30s. Southeast winds 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 70 percent. Sunday...Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of rain showers. Highs in the lower 50s. South winds around 15 mph. Sunday night...Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of rain showers. Lows in the upper 30s. Monday...Cloudy with a chance of rain and snow showers. Highs in the upper 40s. Chance of precipitation 40 percent. Monday night...Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of snow showers. Cold with lows in the lower 30s. Tuesday...Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of snow showers. Highs in the lower 40s. Tuesday night...Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of snow showers. Cold with lows in the upper 20s. Wednesday...Cloudy. Highs in the lower 40s. Wednesday night...Cloudy. Cold with lows in the upper 20s. Thursday...Cloudy with a chance of rain and snow showers. Highs in the lower 40s. Chance of precipitation 30 percent.

CLEVELAND: Today...Partly cloudy in the morning...Then mostly cloudy with rain showers likely in the afternoon. Highs in the upper 40s. Southeast winds 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 70 percent. Tonight...Showers likely. Lows in the lower 40s. Southeast winds 15 to 20 mph. Chance of rain 70 percent. Sunday...Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers. Highs in the lower 50s. South winds 15 to 20 mph. Sunday night...Cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers. Lows around 40. Monday...Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain and snow showers. Highs in the mid 40s.

Extended Forecast

Today

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

48/33

52/38

47/33

42/28

National forecast

Forecast highs for Saturday, Dec. 15

Sunny

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Cloudy

Fronts

Cold Warm Stationary

Pressure

Low High

Tonight/Saturday

Forecast for Saturday, Dec. 15

City/Region

Low | High temps

Partly Cloudy

Cloudy

Showers

Thunderstorms

Rain

Flurries

Snow

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ALMANAC

On Dec. 15, 1939, the epic Civil War movie "Gone With the Wind," produced by David O. Selznick and starring Clark Gable and Vivien Leigh, had its world premiere in Atlanta. In 1890, Sioux Indian Chief Sitting Bull and 11 other tribe members were killed in Grand River, S.D., during a confrontation with Indian police. In 1938, groundbreaking for the Jefferson Memorial took place in Washington with President Franklin D. Roosevelt taking part in the ceremony. In 1944, a single-engine plane carrying bandleader Glenn Miller, a major in the U.S. Army Air Forces, disappeared over the English Channel while en route to Paris. American forces invaded Mindoro Island in the Philippines. In 1961, former Nazi official Adolf Eichmann was sentenced to death by an Israeli court for crimes against humanity. (Eichmann was hanged 5 1/2 months later.)

Shootings
FROM 1A

they wouldn't see the blood and broken glass.

Schoolchildren — some crying, others looking frightened — were escorted through a parking lot in a line, hands on each other's shoulders.

Law enforcement officials speaking on condition of anonymity said that Lanza killed his mother, Nancy Lanza, and then drove to the school in her car with three guns, including a high-powered rifle that he apparently left in the back of the vehicle. Authorities said he shot up two classrooms, but they otherwise gave no details on how the attack unfolded.

A custodian ran through the halls, warning of a gunman on the loose, and someone switched on the intercom, alerting people in the building to the attack — and perhaps saving many lives — by letting them hear the hysteria going on in the school office, a teacher said.

Teachers locked their doors and ordered children to huddle in a corner or hide in closets as shots echoed through the building.

State police Lt. Paul Vance said 28 people in all were killed, including the gunman, and a woman who worked at the school was wounded.

Lanza's older brother, 24-year-old Ryan, of Hoboken, N.J., was being questioned, but a law enforcement official said he was not believed to have had any role in the rampage. Investigators were searching his computers and phone records, but he told law enforcement he had not been in touch with his brother since about 2010.

The officials spoke on the condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to discuss the unfolding investigation.

He said the shooter didn't utter a word.

Stephen Delgiadice said his 8-year-old daughter was in the school and heard two big bangs. Teachers told her to get in a corner, he said. "It's alarming, especially in Newtown, Connecticut, which we always thought was the safest place in America," he said. His daughter was uninjured.

Theodore Varga was in a meeting with other fourth-grade teachers when he heard the gunfire. He said someone had turned on the intercom so that "you could hear people in the office. You could hear the hysteria that was going on. I think whoever did that saved a lot of people. Everyone in the school was listening to the terror that was transpiring."

Also, a custodian ran around, warning people there was someone with a gun, Varga said.

"He said, 'Guys! Get down! Hide!'" Varga said. "So he was actually a hero." The teacher said he did not know if the custodian survived.

On Friday night, hundreds of people packed a Newtown church and stood outside in a vigil for the victims. People held hands, lit candles and sang "Silent Night" at St. Rose of Lima church.

Anthony Bloss, whose three daughters survived the shootings, said they are doing better than he is. "I'm numb. I'm completely numb," he said at the vigil.

Mergim Bajraliu, 17, said he heard the gunshots echo from his home and ran to check on his 9-year-old sister at the school. He said his sister, who was uninjured, heard a scream come over the intercom. He said teachers were shaking and crying as they came out of the building.

"Everyone was just traumatized," he said.

Mary Pendergast said her 9-year-old nephew was in the school at the time of the shooting but wasn't hurt after his music teacher helped him take cover in a closet.

Richard Wilford's 7-year-old son, Richie, told him that he heard a noise that sounded like "cans falling." The boy said a teacher went out to check on the noise, came back in, locked the door and had the children huddle in the corner until police arrived.

"There's no words," Wilford said.

"It's sheer terror, a sense of imminent danger, to get to your child and be there to protect him."

On Friday afternoon, family mem-

bers were led away from a firehouse that was being used as a staging area, some of them weeping. One man, wearing a T-shirt without a jacket, put his arms around a woman as they walked down the middle of the street, oblivious to everything around them. Another woman with tears rolling down her face walked by, carrying a car seat with a baby inside.

"Evil visited this community today and it's too early to speak of recovery, but each parent, each sibling, each member of the family has to understand that Connecticut — we're all in this together. We'll do whatever we can to overcome this event," Gov. Dannel Malloy said.

Adam Lanza and his mother lived in a well-to-do part of Newtown where neighbors are doctors or hold white-collar positions at companies such as General Electric, Pepsi and IBM.

Three guns were found — a Glock and a Sig Sauer, both pistols, inside the school, and a .223-caliber rifle in the back of a car.

The shootings instantly brought to mind such tragedies as the Columbine High School massacre that killed 15 in 1999 and the July shootings at a movie theater in Aurora, Colo., that left 12 dead.

"You go to a movie theater in Aurora and all of a sudden your life is taken," Columbine Principal Frank DeAngelis said. "You're at a shopping mall in Portland, Ore., and your life is taken. This morning, when parents kissed their kids goodbye knowing that they are going to be home to celebrate the holiday season coming up, you don't expect this to happen."

He added: "It has to stop, these senseless deaths."

Obama's comments on the tragedy amounted to one of the most outwardly emotional moments of his presidency.

"The majority of those who died were children — beautiful little kids between the ages of 5 and 10 years old," Obama said.

He paused for several seconds to keep his composure as he teared up and wiped an eye. Nearby, two aides cried and held hands as they listened to Obama.

"They had their entire lives ahead of them — birthdays, graduations, wedding, kids of their own," Obama continued about the victims. "Among the fallen were also teachers, men and women who devoted their lives to helping our children."

Coach
FROM 1A

however.

From a parent standpoint he said that he typically plays sports with his kids on Sundays, although he understands why some families may choose not to do that.

"At no point are we trying to minimize anybody's family beliefs," he said.

As for Moschella, Mook said, "I feel fortunate enough in this case I have a coach willing to work with my child."

The board hired Moschella in April, upon Mook's recommendation. Moschella had just stepped down from a 31-year coaching career in Boardman a few months prior. While there, he led the Spartans to 546 wins, making him one of the winningest girls basketball coaches in Ohio history.

He also led the Spartans to 19 Steel Valley Conference championships and Federal League titles in 2004 and 2005 and was recognized as Northeastern Ohio coach of the year five times, the Mahoning County Basketball Coaches Association Coach of the Year 23 times and was named the Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association coach of the year in 2001.

Between 1991 and 2011, he led teams that captured 14 district championships, reached the regional final five times and qualified for the Division I state finals in 2005 and 2008.

The coach did not wish to respond to the Pancakes' claims that his conduct on the court is not always appropriate.

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Staff Writer Deanne Johnson contributed to this report.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Butler Township
Weingart Family Trust to Scott McLaughlin, home on Ridge Road; \$95,000.
Bruce and Ruth Marhefka to Duane Marhefka, home on Whinnery Road; \$60,200.
Marjorie Harrold, et al, to Charles and Helen Jeanneret, home on Carey Road; \$151,044.
Marjorie Harrold, et al, to David and Gena Debee, 2.1 acres on Carey Road; \$48,265.
Marjorie Harrold, et al, to Brent and Mackenzie Nelson, 8.5 acres on Carey Road; \$70,112.
Geraldine Thomas Trust to David and Julia Herron, home and 4.8 acres on Coffee School Road; \$198,000.
Geraldine Thomas Trust to Larry and Brenda Johnson, 1.3 acres on Coffee School Road; \$18,700.
Robert Arnold to Timothy Citino, 7.7 acres on Shelton Road; \$46,000.

Center Township
Tom Leipper to Tammy Lyons, home on Hunters Camp Road; \$120,000.
Mamie Sell to Triple Crown Energy, mineral rights to 29 acres on Sell Road; \$84,000.
Brenda Palmer, et al, to Michael and Savanna Barton, home on Elmwood Drive; \$110,000.

Columbiana
Linda Vandyk to Charles Morton, home on West Friend Street; \$78,700.
Bruce and Christine Wolfe to Sharon Mason, home on Ray Street; \$138,500.
Columbiana Motor Co. to Oaks Welding Inc., commercial property on Prospect Street; \$131,250.

Franklin Township
Artist and Rose Hurst to Eric and Gretchen Wentz, home on Emerick Road; \$133,500.

Hanover Township
William and Georgia Bailey to Arthur Miser III and Georgia Bailey, home on Plymouth Street; \$139,000.

Hanover Township
Brent Nelson to Zane Rea, et al, home on Gavers Road; \$90,389.

Knox Township
Donald Bandy to Donovan Curfman,

home and 10 acres on Bowman Road; \$165,000.
Edna Schoeni to John and Pamela Schoeni, home on Knox School Road; \$145,000.
U.S. Bank National Association to Bruce and Daryl Holt, home and 3.4 acres on Bayard Road; \$65,900.

Leetonia
County Sheriff (Stacie Amfield) to Fannie Mae, home on Woods Boulevard; \$64,000.

Lisbon
County Sheriff (Beth Wylie) to Jason and Sandra Tucker, home on Jerome Street; \$17,000.

Madison Township
Mike and Edith Poynter to Ken and Diane Board, home on state Route 45; \$77,000.
Estate of Robert Wellington to Jason and Brenda Akers, home on James Road; \$119,000.
Laura Aguredakes to Shawn and Tracey Woods, home and 2.7 acres on state Route 45; \$24,000.

Perry Township
Leesa Barnes to Richard and Stacey Caldwell, home on Countryside Drive; \$176,000.
Michael and Renee Weikart to Jennings and Trudy Douglas, home and 2.9 acres on Benton Road; \$37,450.
Veterans Affairs (Jarrod Ketchum) to Young Rentals LLC, home on Florida Avenue; \$33,500.

Gunman in YSU frat house shootings gets 90 years

YOUNGSTOWN (AP) — A judge has sentenced a gunman to 90 years to life in prison in a fraternity house shooting that left one dead and 11 others wounded.

The judge imposed the sentence Thursday on 20-year-old Jamelle Jackson of Youngstown on his convictions for murder, felonious assault and firing a gun into a house.

Jackson's attorney says his client plans to appeal the conviction.

A co-defendant was sentenced Thursday to 10 years on involuntary

manslaughter and felonious assault charges. Another co-defendant was sentenced earlier to 92 years to life in prison for murder.

The Feb. 6, 2011, shooting near Youngstown State University killed 25-year-old student Jamail Johnson. The senior was killed while trying to usher a group of partygoers away from the gunfire and out of harm's way, according to police.

According to The (Youngstown) Vindicator, the victim's mother told the judge she often wishes the ordeal was a

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DEATHS

Dorothy M. (Pugh) Caldron

DEL CITY, Okla. – Dorothy M. (Pugh) Caldron, 96, passed away peacefully Thursday Dec. 13, 2012. Dorothy was born March 25, 1916, in Altoona, Pa., the daughter of Harry and Ethel (Summers) Bradt. She was formerly employed at Salem China for over 20 years. Her husband, Louis A. “GiGi” Caldron, whom she married Dec. 21, 1970, passed away Nov. 3, 2009. She will always be lovingly remembered by her two daughters, Sheila (Glenn) Spack of Salem and Georgia (Bill) Sanor of Del City, Okla.; daughter-in-law, Pat Baird of Apollo, Pa.; 11 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and 14 great-great-grandchildren. Besides her parents and husband, Dorothy was preceded in death by two sons, Harry and David Baird. The Rossi Brothers and Lellio Funeral Home, 4442 South Ave., Boardman, have been bestowed the honor and privilege of handling the arrangements for Dorothy. Family and friends may visit the Book of Memories at www.rossifunerals.com.

12/15/12
(Paid obituary)

Dorothy Regina Ibbs

SALEM — Dorothy Regina Ibbs, 92, formerly of Wood Alley, East Liverpool, passed away at 10:50 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 13, 2012 at the Essex III of Salem following a lengthy battle with Alzheimer’s Disease. Born Jan. 13, 1920 at East Liverpool, she was a daughter of the late Edward Parr Jr. and Nellie Ellen Brookes Bennett. A lifetime area resident, she spent the last five years living in Salem at Essex III. At one time she had worked at several of the local potteries. She was a member of the Triangle Club and was a wonderful homemaker.

Dorothy devoted her life to taking care of her children and grandchildren, babysat the neighbor’s children and many great nieces and nephews with loving care. She was known for her delicious cooking such as her pies, homemade noodles, and potato salad, all requested for at her family’s gatherings. She also loved to watch soap operas. Her first husband, Clyde “Ted” Howard preceded her in death in 1943, while fighting during WWII. She was also preceded by her stepfather, Romney Bennett, who raised her. Surviving are her two loving daughters, Judith Gill and her husband, Thomas M. of East Liverpool and Debra L. Waite and her husband, Ronald M. of Salem; as well as her two sons, Robert A. Ibbs of Chester, W.Va., and David W. Ibbs and his wife, Marion of East Liverpool. There are 12 grandchildren, Amy Marie Gill, Michelle (John) Higgins, Colleen (Steve) House, Erin (Brian) Loedding, Robby Ibbs, Season Rice, Morgan Nash, Amanda Lowers, Sunny (Jason) Wolski, Misty (Max) Burton, Dustin Ibbs, and Veronica Waite, whom she loved very much and would do anything for, they will lovingly remember all the special times at her house, the Thanksgiving dinners and the times of laughter and playing cards shared around her kitchen table with a hot cup of tea and white powdered doughnuts. There are 15 great-grandchildren, Joshua and Shane Higgs, Alex and Jacob House, Taylor Loedding, Erica Ware, Paisley Nash, Preston and Memphis Irvin, Chance Lowers, Bradley Gibson, Heavyn and Briar Wolski, and Logan and Parker Burton. She held a special affection for and was known as Aunt Dottie by nieces and nephews, Nancy Carnegie, Pat McGaffie, Rose Roseberry, John Nolan, Terry Trbovich and Richard Looman. She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Lorraine Looman Queen and Josephine Nolan; and by a daughter-in-law, Teri Ibbs. Friends may visit the family from 2 to 4 and from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Dawson Funeral Home in East Liverpool. Her son-in-law, Ronald M. Waite, will offer a eulogy at 11 a.m. Monday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Riverview Cemetery. Family and friends will gather at the Dawson Family Center immediately following the service. The family wants to extend a special appreciation and thank you to the caring and loving staff at Essex III, who cared for Dorothy during her final years. View Mrs. Ibbs’ memorial webpage and send condolences online at: www.dawsonfuneralhome.com.

12/15/12
(Paid obituary)

Ailene Rehm

SALEM — Ailene Rehm, 87, of Salem, died at 9:36 p.m. on Wednesday at the Salem Care Center. She was born March 15, 1923 in Rootstown, Ohio, the daughter of the late Walter and Martha (Clark) Rehm. Ailene was a member of the Ellsworth Presbyterian Church and the King’s Daughters of the church. She attended the Alliance Business College and has been a resident of this area her entire life. Survivors include two nieces, Carol Bennett and Linda Starkweather; two nephews, Donald Rehm and Richard Starkweather; and a great nephew, Luke Starkweather. A memorial service will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 22 at the Ellsworth Presbyterian Church with Rev. Bonnie Dutton officiating. Family and friends will be received one hour prior to the service at the church. Interment will be held at the Edinburgh Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the Stark Memorial Funeral Home. This obituary may be viewed and condolences sent to the family online at www.starkmemorial.com.

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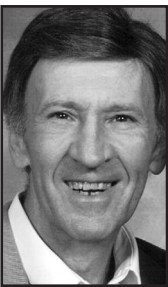
SHERIFF’S OFFICE

— Gary Wolford, Salem Grange Road, Salem, reported at 10 a.m. Friday he received a letter in the mail from an insurance company claiming he opened a credit account on Dec. 6 and charged \$378. The statement showed the account was opened in his name and address. Wolford reported the account was opened fraudulently. — Betty Mackall, Sell Road, Lisbon, reported at 9:50 a.m. Friday her 13-year-old son was assaulted by another student at United Local School. The other boy reportedly hit her son with his shoulder and when her son pushed him back, the boy then punched him in the head several times. Mackall’s son was taken to an unnamed hospital, where he had a fractured nasal cavity and concussion. Both boys were suspended from school. — Peggy King, state Route 7, New Waterford, reported at 7:50 a.m. Friday her 15-year-old grandson refused to go to school. The boy has already missed multiple days of school and deputies told him to go to school. — Frank Medure, Lodge Road, Leetonia, reported at 9:27 a.m. Friday his ex-girlfriend’s mother has been sending him harassing text messages. He has not been with his ex-girlfriend in more than two years and has married someone else. Deputies suggested he may want to change his phone number. — Jeff Lupas, state Route 39, Wellsville, reported at 11:13 a.m. Thursday someone stole two chainsaws from his shed.

BIRTH

Salem Community Hospital
Daughter, Ezabella Blair Board, born Nov. 27, to Josh C. Board and Jenny M. Carson, 583 E. Fourth St., Salem. Ezabella weighed 6 pounds and 11.2 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. She joins five siblings, Bethany Morris, 18; Joseph Carson, 14; Devin Durris, 12; Ashley Bender, 10; and Kylie Jo Board, 3. Maternal grandparents are Rose Carson and Emerson Frye of East Liverpool, and the late Joe Carson. Paternal grandparents are Tonya Neville of Salem and the late Rob Neville. Great-grandparents are Martha Board of Columbiana and Lynn Bailey of East Liverpool.

Robert Neil Henderson



SEBRING — Robert Neil Henderson of Beloit, passed away on Thursday, Dec. 13, 2012 at Alliance Community Hospital. Neil was born in Alliance on Dec. 14, 1946 the son of the late Harry and Neva (Crewson) Henderson. He was a graduate of Sebring High School and received his associate degree from Kent State Salem. He retired from General Motors and loved to be in the outdoors, fishing, hunting and spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. Neil was a member of Pine Lake Christian Church and the Sebring Masonic Lodge. Survivors include his wife Kathy (Blake) Henderson of Beloit; a son, Kane (Tari) Henderson of Medina, OH; two daughters, Nichon (Jonathan) Jakuszewski of Clinton, OH and Kara (David) Hornish of Green, OH; six grandchildren, Lexy and Brady Henderson, Blake, Nadia and Dallas Jakuszewski and Kaelyn Hornish; two brothers, Kim (Linda) Henderson and Jan (Susan) Henderson; and, two sisters, Shari Henderson and Laurie (Paul) Thomas. Besides his parents he was preceded in death by a nephew, Brandt Henderson. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 18 at Pine Lake Christian Church with Rev. Tom Palmer officiating. Friends may call from 6-8 p.m. on Monday Dec. 17, 2012 at the church with a Masonic service at 5:30 p.m. Burial will take place at Grandview Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made in Neil’s honor to the Pine Lake Christian Church. Friends may send condolences and sign the guest register online at www.grfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are by Gednetz-Ruzek Funeral Home.

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John William Patterson

SALEM — John William Patterson, of Salem, formerly a Ravenna resident, died at 1:05 a.m. Friday, Dec. 14, 2012 at the Blossom Nursing and Rehab Center. He was born Aug. 29, 1931 in Ripley, West Virginia, the son of the late George R. and Lola M. (Cline) Patterson. Before his retirement in 1963, John had worked at Davey Tree Company in Kent, Ohio for 22 years. He was a member of the Wayland Community Church and a served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. His wife of 36 years, Betty Jane Patterson preceded him in death in 1991. Survivors include three sisters, Clara Balser of Parkersburg, West Virginia, Paula Cross of Mineral Wells, West Virginia and Ruth Patterson of Parkersburg; and two brothers, Garner R. Patterson of Hanoverton and Donald Patterson of St. Albans, West Virginia. A son, James William Patterson; a daughter, Patricia Ann Patterson; four sisters, Sara Ames, Manzetta “Dale” Campbell, Mary Benson and Jessie Campbell; and two brothers, Jerome and Ronald Patterson also preceded him in death. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Burial will be at Hawley Cemetery in Paris. Arrangements were handled by the Stark Memorial Funeral Home. This obituary can be viewed and condolences sent to the family online at www.starkmemorial.com.

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COMMON PLEAS COURT

New Cases
Autovest LLC vs. Myrtle Hupp, Lisbon, \$9,244 plus \$7,765 interest for alleged debt owed.
Shannon and Michael Mosti, Salineville, et al., vs. Tiffany Melott, Wellsville, et al., excess of \$25,000 sought for alleged injuries from traffic accident on state Route 39 on Dec. 15, 2010.
Kendric T. Young, Malvern, et al., vs. William Brown II, Leetonia, et al., excess of \$25,000 sought for alleged injuries from traffic accident on Lisbon Road, Dec. 17, 2011.
U.S. Bank vs. Willis Warren Jr., et al., foreclosure sought for property on Walnut Street, Washingtonville.
Everbank vs. Aaron T. Groff, et al., foreclosure sought for property on Township Line Road, Wellsville.
Elizabeth and Herbert Mahon, Negley, vs. Inti Cardo Marchante, Miami, Fla., et al., excess of \$25,000 sought for alleged injuries for semi vs. SUV accident at the intersection of state Route 46 and 558 on Oct. 17.
Docket Entries
CSH Fund IV, LLC vs. Jody L. Bailey, et al., foreclosure ordered for property on Lacroft Avenue, East Liverpool.
Marriage License
Jedediah B. Brothers, 29, Lisbon, RV technician, and Lindsay J. Berger, 28, New Waterford, teacher.

VFWPost 892 kitchen is open today

SALEM – The kitchen is open from 5 to 7:30 p.m. today at Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892, 496 Arch St. The public is welcome.

MUNICIPAL COURT

LISBON — In Columbiana County Municipal Court Friday a Dec. 27 pretrial was set for Albert E. Miller Jr., 29, East Taggart Street, East Palestine, charged with assault after allegedly kicked in a door at the East Clark Street home of Jackie Cruz on Oct. 23, hitting her with the door, then choking her and picking her up off the ground by the throat. Additionally, Miller pleaded guilty to possession of instruments to ingest or inhale controlled substances. He was fined \$150 and had his license suspended for six months. A Jan. 24 pretrial was set for Robert M. Rice, 18, West Perry Street, Salem, cited with driving under FRA suspension. A Feb. 14 pretrial was set for Brian K. Reynolds, 35, West Fourth Street, Salem, cited with driving under a child support suspension. A use of unauthorized plate charge was dismissed. A March 12 pretrial was set for Lee N. Givens, 26, Y and O Road, East Liverpool, cited with driving under FRA suspension. Nicole M. Veiock, 30, North Market Street, East Palestine, was fined \$50 for open container.

GRAND JURY

LISBON — Nico A. Baker, 20, Dyke Road, Negley, was served a secret indictment for an endangering children charge. According to court documents, Baker is accused of providing excessive physical discipline to a child between the ages of 3 and 6 months during the time beginning in February and ending in July. Christopher S. McCauley, 33, Lincoln Avenue, Wellsville, is charged with possession of drugs for allegedly having cocaine on March 31. Both Baker and McCauley were indicted by the Columbiana County Common Pleas Court grand jury in November.

New court hearing date set in East Liverpool-BWD dispute

Staff Reports
LISBON — A new court hearing date of Jan. 24 has been scheduled in the seven-year-old legal dispute between East Liverpool and the Buckeye Water District. A motions hearing scheduled for Dec. 10 in Columbiana County Common Pleas Court was canceled after one of the attorneys became ill. The case was continued until the two sides could agree on a new hearing date. The hearing was on a motion by BWD that asks Judge C. Ashley Pike to enforce a settlement agreement that would pay East Liverpool \$5.9 million to resolve the city’s successful breach-of-contract lawsuit against the BWD. The \$5.9 million represents what East Liverpool said in April it would accept from the BWD to resolve the lawsuit, and BWD agreed, but the city later changed its

mind in July by adding other conditions, and the two sides have continued sparring in court ever since. The \$5.9 million includes the \$4.8 million East Liverpool was awarded for winning its lawsuit against the BWD, plus interest. East Liverpool is saying is now wants another \$700,000 in interest it is entitled to collect.

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OUR SIDE

Staying out of ‘death spiral’

Ohio is one of 11 states that made the Forbes list of danger spots for investors. The financial magazine predicted rising taxes, declining state revenue, an employer "exodus," and a rotten housing market in Ohio, which Forbes termed a "sick" state and a fiscal "hellhole."

Forbes said one reason Ohio makes the list is that it has as many people receiving their incomes from the government as it does from the private sector. This includes government employees, government retirees and people in the private sector who are on government support.

Another reason Forbes includes Ohio in its list of states in a "death spiral" is credit-worthiness. The Buckeye state's unhealthy public pensions damages its credit-worthiness.

We don't completely agree with Forbes' doom-and-gloom prediction. There have been many promising developments such as the shale play for oil and natural gas in eastern Ohio and state budget reforms that have actually resulted in a rainy day fund.

But the dismal condition of Ohio's public pension system is not debatable, nor is the need for ongoing reform. If for no other reason, Ohio should continue tweaking its unsustainable pension system to avoid the horrible publicity that arises from lists like Forbes' "death spiral" states.



Why America is balanced on the edge of the cliff



If you have worked hard for five decades, made pots of money and now want to squander it all in Las Vegas on wine, women and baccarat, go ahead. If, however, you harbor the anti-social desire — stigmatized as such by America's judgmental tax code — to bequeath your wealth to your children, this would be an excellent month to die. Absent a congressional fix before Jan. 1, the death tax, which is 35 percent on estates above \$5 million, reverts to 55 percent on those above \$1 million.

This is one of many tax changes that could be triggered. The Hoover Institution's Tammy M. Frisby, writing in Policy Review, says that — not counting temporary disaster relief tax breaks — 31, 56 and 37 provisions of the tax code expired in 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively. "The country," she says, "is trying to create sustained economic growth using temporary tax laws." It is not working.

Unless Congress quickly reaffirms its follies, this month the tax credit that subsidizes wind power — a long-standing adventure in industrial policy — expires. This is not quite a sufficient reason to go over the "fiscal cliff" but would be a consolation for doing so.

The cliff, an action-forcing mechanism, could cause a potentially constructive chaos of questioning. Is it wise to increase taxes as student debt passes the \$1 trillion mark, dampening graduates' powers as consumers? Two-thirds of them have mini-mortgages (average debt, \$27,000). Is it wise to increase the top tax rates, which are paid by small businesses with more than half of small business income, just as the Obama-care tax (called a mandate until Chief Justice John Roberts' clarification) produces many "49ers"? Those are businesses that stay below the 50-employee threshold for providing insurance, or reduce full-time employees to part-timers. A defense sequester might raise questions about who — Denmark? Poland? — our 54,000 troops in Germany are protecting Germans against.

Washington, with its (at most) one-track mind, is fixated on the "Bush tax rates" but cannot even accurately describe its monomania. It actually is the Bush-Obama rates. Two years ago, when the economy was, as

now, sputtering along barely above stall speed, Obama — joined by 43 Senate and 139 House Democrats — extended the rates for two years because the economy was too weak to absorb large tax increases.

That was then. This is now:

When Sen. Richard Durbin said "Social Security has not added one penny to the deficit," Charles P. Blahous III, a member of the Social Security board of trustees, wrote to The Washington Post to say that in 2012 this program will add \$165 billion because benefit expenditures exceed Social Security tax revenues by that amount and "this gap is filled entirely by revenue that the federal government borrows." The fact that the second-ranking Senate Democrat is off by 16,500,000,000,000 pennies reveals the sort of precise thinking that got the country into its current condition and that supposedly will produce a cure. It is enough to make you want to hop in your Fisker and drive off a fiscal cliff.

You should know Fisker because you have helped to finance the Anaheim, Calif., company that makes — well, has made a few — electric cars. Its only model, the Karma — really; Obama administration green investments are beyond satire — costs \$110,000. Your subsidy helped Justin Bieber, the fabu-

lously rich Canadian adolescent (he sings), buy one. No one ever said saving the planet one electric car at a time would be easy.

The Wall Street Journal reports that in spite of Fisker's \$192 million in Energy Department loans, the Karma "has been hobbled by recalls and quality problems" and Fisker has sacked half its employees. But perhaps Fisker's biggest problem is that its source of batteries, A123 Systems, has gone bankrupt in spite of its \$249 million Energy Department grant.

The administration that in the fiscal cliff drama is demanding control of much more of the nation's wealth is the author of many Solyndra-style debacles.

American politics has generally been about allocating abundance, not scarcity.

It has, however, occasionally confronted issues not susceptible to compromise — e.g., expansion of slavery into the territories. The fiscal cliff argument is about splittable differences — this or that tax rate or entitlement rule — but also about the proper scope and actual competence of government. This necessary argument should not be truncated until the cliff is even closer.

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America's reluctant first father



KATHLEEN PARKER

One of my great hopes for a Barack Obama administration — and thus one of my personal disappointments — was that he would use his bully pulpit to emphasize the importance of a two-parent family, and especially of fathers, to children's well-being.

Few understand better than the president the value of a present and involved father. Much of his literary work and his examined life pertains to his own absent father. By his example, he has certainly demonstrated his own commitment to parenting — and his family is a source of pride for all Americans. But the true story of fatherlessness in this country can't be repeated often or forcefully enough.

This is not a new story.

Children who grow up without fathers tend to fall into patterns of destructive behavior — from drug use and truancy to early promiscuity, delinquency and, in too many cases, incarceration. Children raised in fatherless homes are also more likely to grow up in poverty, which is no fault of their mothers but is a fact.

Also well-known is that these pathologies and consequences are more prevalent in the African-American community where, as it happens, most children are born to unwed mothers. Is this the fault of the mothers? Absolutely not. Can a child raised by a single mother prosper? Sure, but it is the exception, including the president, that proves the rule.

Here's another rule: You can't solve a problem if you refuse to acknowledge it. Yet in today's sensitive environment, to even suggest a problem that might feel offensive to some is to risk being labeled an "-ist" of some variety, followed by a public flogging.

Therefore, to suggest, as University of Texas law professor Lino Graglia recently did, that blacks and Hispanics are falling behind in education because they tend to come from single-parent families (largely mothers who are both poor and often uneducated) is pure blasphemy. Graglia made these remarks to a BBC interviewer who noted that he himself is black and was raised by a single mother. Such personal anecdotes, though interesting, cannot be construed as arguments for single motherhood. I

was raised by a single father who was a serial husband (four stepmothers), but only an idiot would argue that a relentlessly dysfunctional childhood is the correct path to becoming a healthy adult without overt tics (other than a propensity for adopting homeless, disabled animals).

The simple truth is that it is harder to succeed in life if you are burdened with unnecessary obstacles from the get-go. These would include no father (or no mother) in the home, not enough money — or books, or aspirational conversation, and a community culture that, as Graglia previously mentioned, does not value academic success.

Graglia's head is on the block as various offended parties demand that he be punished for his observations. But imagine for a moment if Obama had said the same things. What if Obama had said, you know, African-American kids are as smart as anybody else, but as a group, they are disadvantaged because about 70 percent are born out of wedlock? They are disadvantaged by neighborhoods and a community culture that are often bereft of healthy male role models. If the president uttered these words, they would be embraced as irrefutable truths. Who knows how he might alter individual destinies through the simple act of articulating these crucial matters of the human experience. It is laudable to model behavior through one's actions. It can be miraculous to put those actions into words that people can take into their own homes and incorporate into their own hearts. Words, as Obama knows deeply, are powerful.

And the president has taken steps to keep promises related to fatherhood. He created a task force, took a pledge and upgraded a fatherhood website. "The President's Fatherhood Pledge," featured on the National Responsible Fatherhood Clearinghouse under the auspices of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, basically renews commitment to family and community.

Not much pain there. This is like saying, "I like dogs and promise not to run over any — on purpose."

A nice gesture, perhaps, but nothing like the power of words: Men, be men. Marry the mother of your children. Be a father to the children you sire. Go home and stay there.

No one could say these things better than Barack Obama. Perhaps in a second term ...

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OTHER VOICES

Akron Beacon Journal, Dec. 9

The employment report from the Labor Department, issued Friday morning, reinforced the importance of Congress and the White House managing well the looming collection of budget challenges, known as the "fiscal cliff." President Obama indicated that the matter could be resolved rather quickly. He is right in theory. The trick will be setting the priorities in a sound order....

Today, there are 4 million fewer jobs than when the recession began in late 2007. Two-fifths of the unemployed have been seeking work for 27 weeks or longer.

The previous high for this figure during the past 60 years was 26 percent in June 1983....

All of this points, again, to the type of recession

the country suffered, one featuring the collapse of a financial bubble. These downturns almost always involve a long, slow recovery, as people repair their finances and seek to restore their assets.

For Congress and the White House, the first priority must be to do no harm to the fragile recovery. The Congressional Budget Office has warned that a failure to ease the approaching tax increases and spending reductions would likely send the economy into another recession....

The country doesn't face something as dramatic as a steep cliff at the end of the month. The impact would be gradual, allowing room for negotiation into the new year. Yet the psychology is crucial, Washington taking command, more or less.

Online: <http://bit.ly/U9GawH>

ACROSS OUR COMMUNITIES

Food Pantry fund raiser is today

SALEM — Those planning to attend the “Rocking for a Cause this Season” fund raiser today for the Salem Community Food Pantry are reminded to bring non-perishable food items to be donated to the food bank for local distribution.

The event will be held from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Salem Little Quakers Hall, 1688 S. Lincoln Ave. Food, snacks, mix and ice will be provided.

Cost is \$7 per couple or \$5 per person.

A silent auction will be held featuring donations from local merchants.

Music will be provided by Theaz Guyz. Members of the band are Tom Levak, Ed Baird, Doug Riley and Tim Callahan. For more information or to donate call 330-502-1642.

Santa Claus will visit Banquet in Salem

SALEM — Santa Claus will visit with children, after they eat their dinner, at the Banquet in Salem to be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at the Memorial Building.

The meal, sponsored by Pizza Hut in Salem and Columbiana, includes vegetable beef soup, pizza, salad, fresh fruit and assorted desserts.

Additional sponsors are needed. For more information call Patty Colian at 330-831-2169.

Breakfast buffet planned at Masonic Building

SALEM—A public breakfast buffet will be served from 7:30 to 10 a.m. Dec. 22 at the Salem Masonic Building, 788 E. State St.

Cost is \$6 for adults, \$3 for children under age 10 and free for children under 2.

The menu offers pancakes, waffles, sausage, bacon, scrambled eggs, homemade sausage gravy, biscuits, homefries, toast, fruit cocktail, orange juice, coffee and tea.

The building is equipped with a handicapped accessible elevator. Proceeds will be directed to the Salem Masonic Building Fund.

SHS Class of 1955 will meet for lunch

SALEM —The Salem High School Class of 1955 will meet for lunch at 11:30 a.m. Dec. 26 at BB Rooners.

SHS Class of 1954 will meet for breakfast

SALEM — The Salem High School Class of 1954 plans to meet for breakfast at 9 a.m. Dec. 27 at the Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

Library offering Freading eBook Service

COLUMBIANA — The Columbiana Public Library is now offering patrons the innovative Freading eBook Service from Library Ideas.

This service will increase the size and diversity of the library’s eBook collection by offering access to tens of thousands of books, none of which requires the patron to wait in line to download. Unlike the Overdrive service, each book is always available.

Every week registered borrowers will have five tokens to download books for a two-week period. The number of tokens needed to download a book will vary with the newness of the book. Books can be renewed once. Unused tokens will accumulate for four weeks.

Freading has its own apps for the iPad and iPhone and for Android tablets and phones. It is also compatible with the Kindle Fire, Nook devices and Kobo devices Freading will supplement the Overdrive service that’s been provided for patrons since 2008.

The library is also offering downloadable music from its website for free and has joined the Library Ideas Network that provides access to over three million songs including Sony Music’s catalog of legendary artists.

The Freegal Music Service will increase the size and diversity of the library’s music collection by offering access to more than 10,000 music labels from 60 different countries. Library patrons will be able to download three songs each week in the MP3 format.

Free mobile apps are available in the Apple App Store and Google Play.

Log on to the library’s website at www.columbiana.lib.oh.us to access these new services. A page of frequently asked questions is available for each service.

United Local to host Christmas Concert

HANOVERTON — The United Local Vocal Music Department will hold its annual Christmas concert at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

Performing will be seventh and eighth-grade choirs, Touch of Gold, High School Mixed Chorus and Concert Choir and Flight. Admission is free. A cookie sale also will be held.

Children’s Choir to perform at church

DAMASCUS—The children’s choir of the Damascus United Methodist Church at 300 Valley Road will present the musical, “Meet Me at the Manger” at 10:10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday. The musical is filled with many songs and soloists that help persuade the grouchy store owner, Mr. Herod, that wise men still follow Him today. New Christmas toys will be presented to a local charity. A cookie and punch reception follows.

The public is invited to the all-you-can eat breakfast from 7 to 11 a.m. Saturday at the church.

Breakfast with Santa set at Salem VFW

SALEM—The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892 Men’s Auxiliary, located at 496 Arch St., is hosting a breakfast with Santa from 8 to 11 a.m. Sunday.

Haystacks, or a traditional breakfast of eggs, pancakes, hash browns, sausage patties, toast, orange juice and coffee, will be served. Cost is \$4.



Allegheny Wesleyan College choir will perform

The choir of Allegheny Wesleyan College will be presenting “Christ, The King, Has Come!” at 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 21 at United Local High School, located on state Route 9. The public is invited to attend. (Submitted photo)

RELIGION HAPPENINGS

Pancake breakfast scheduled Sunday

COLUMBIANA — A community pancake breakfast will be served from 9 to 10 a.m. Sunday at Zion Hill Church of the Brethren, 14550 New Buffalo Road.

The Christmas Advent service follows at 10:30 a.m.

Messiah Choir will perform on Dec. 22

COLUMBIANA — The Messiah Choir will perform at 7 p.m. Dec. 22 at Main Street Theater, 5 N. Main St.

The event is free and open to the public. A free-will offering will be donated to Crown Theater Productions and its ministry.

The expenses of the holiday concert are underwritten by the Columbiana Community Foundation. Doors open one hour before the show.

Under the direction of Randy Hart, the 30-member choir will perform selections from Handel’s “Messiah” and other holiday music.

Solists are Sarah Vodrey, Sally Bricker, Peggy Elliott, Barbara Bailey and Andrew Lawlor. Accompanist is Joe McKim.

Parker Brothers and Lacey will perform

EAST PALESTINE — The Parker Brothers and Lacey will be in concert 11 a.m. Dec. 23 at God’s Haven of Rest, 51966, state Route 14.

The group, comprised of Andy, Daniel, Travis and Lacey Parker, began singing and playing their own music at a very young age over 18 years ago.

Travis Parker will return in concert 6 p.m. Dec. 23 at God’s Haven of Rest. All are welcome. For more information call 330-397-1284.

Breakfast buffet will be available on Dec. 29

NORTH LIMA — An all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet will be available from 7 to 10 a.m. Dec. 29 at the North Lima Mennonite Church, 90 Mennonite Drive.

Donations will be accepted. Items on the buffet include eggs, pancakes, french toast, sausage, potatoes, homemade rolls, sausage gravy and biscuits, peppers and onions, coffee, orange juice, and other beverages.

For additional information call the church at 330-549-2333.

Senior Choir and Bell Choir will perform

SALEM — The Senior Choir and Bell Choir of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 291 S. Broadway Ave., will perform its Christmas Cantata during the worship services at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 22 and at 10:30 a.m. Dec. 23.

Pastor Alan Smearsoll created the narration and arranged this year’s cantata, titled Evangelizoma, which is a Greek word meaning, “I bring good news.”

The poems were written by Karen Rodgers. Tom Drotleff is the senior choir director and Ila Jeanne Paxson is the organist and bell choir director. The public is invited.

Victory Gospel Jubilee tickets offered

NORTH LIMA — Free tickets are available for the New Year’s Eve Victory Gospel Jubilee to be held on Dec. 31 at the North Lima Business Complex Auditorium.

National southern gospel artist Jerry Garcia will be the headliner for the evening of music hosted by the Golden Street Singers. Also on the program will be the Stillwater trio.

Garcia, who has been in the music ministry since he sang his first song in church as a young boy, performs hundreds of concerts each year, sings on gospel cruises and has appeared at the National Quartet Convention. Garcia and his wife, Sarah, share a special ministry of love to children with severe, even terminal illness.

Stillwater members Ed and Ed Woodard have been singing in groups for more than 30 years. They are joined by lead singer Enola Grovesteen. The Golden Street Singers have hosted all of the Victory Gospel Jubilees.

A buffet dinner by the Hen House Cafe will be available from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$12. Singing begins at 7 p.m. Reservations for dinner can be made when you order your free tickets. Several door prizes will be awarded, including a weekend at Seven Springs Mountain Resort in Pennsylvania. To order tickets call 800-284-9709.



Shown are Brian and Paula Kushman, Hispanic Ministries USA missionaries with World Gospel Mission, who will speak at the 9:30 a.m. Jan. 13 service at East Fairfield United Methodist Church, 45675 state Route 558, New Waterford. Brian was born in Iowa and grew up as a missionary child in Bolivia and Argentina. He earned psychology and Bible degrees from Vennard College. Paula was born and raised in Indiana. She took music and business courses at Indiana Wesleyan University before transferring and taking missions courses at Vennard College. In Bolivia, Brian taught pastors and teachers through Theological Education by Extension, was involved in pastoral support by teaching Sunday school and preaching in the district churches, and served as the district vice president for Bolivia’s national church in Cochabamba. Paula taught music at the Cochabamba campus of Berea Bible Seminary and elementary music education at Carachipampa Christian School, a school for missionary children. She has also organized sessions and retreats for married couples. Also pictured are their children Wesley and Madison. (Submitted photo)



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Chief

FROM 1A

he said.

Panezott, 47, scored the highest on the chief's promotion civil service exam administered Tuesday night to determine who would replace Chief Bob Floor, who's retiring effective Feb. 1. Lt. Dave Casto and Sgt. John Scheets also took the exam.

Floor, city Service/Safety Director Ken Kenst and Mayor John Berlin personally delivered the news to Panezott at his Drug Enforcement Administration office in Boardman Friday morning. Floor said he was told in person when he became chief and he wanted to do the same for whoever was following him in the job.

When Panezott was told the chief was there to see him, he didn't know Kenst and Berlin were there, too, and still didn't know he got the job until Floor said he handed him the sealed envelope containing his test score and said, "Merry Christmas, Chief." His response was, "Really?"

"I think the Salem Police Department is going to be left in very, very capable hands," Floor said. "I'm optimistic for both J.T. and the police department going into the future."

Panezott said the test was tough, so he was surprised, but said he spent a lot of time studying. When he was growing up playing cops and robbers, he always wanted to be the cop. He really became interested in police work when he went to college.

A Salem High School graduate, he earned a bachelor's degree in law enforcement administration from Youngstown State University in 1987 and went through the Salem Police Academy run by former Chief John Sommers in 1988.

When he was hired by Sommers as a patrolman for the Salem Police Department on July 19, 1989, he was asked what his goals were and one of those goals was to become police chief.

This won't be Panezott's first experience as the leader of a department. He was the first Salem officer assigned to the Columbiana County Drug Task Force when it was formed in January 1992 and served as its director from its inception until Oct. 1, 2000 when he was assigned to the DEA. He made sergeant on July 21, 1995.

Coming from a narcotics crime-fighting background, he said drugs are the main cause of a lot of crime.

"You work on your drug problem, you work on your crime problem," he said.

Panezott said he wants to see someone moved into his full-time DEA position from the Salem Police Department and also a Salem officer full-time with the DTF. He said a lot of people are coming to the Youngstown area from the suburbs to buy heroin. To support that habit, they have to go out and steal.

He said he'll have an open door policy for the public and he's looking forward to seeing people he already knows in the community and meeting the residents he doesn't know. He acknowledged both Scheets and Casto and said they all started around the same time, have known each other a long time and are friends.

Panezott and his wife Lisa have two boys, 10-year-old Justin, and 7-year-old Braden.

Floor said he's glad they know who's replacing him so now they can figure out who's moving where. He'll spend the next month or so showing the new chief all the requirements of the job and the day-to-day business he'll need to know.

Floor discussed the possibility of Panezott getting the job with his boss at the DEA and said the two of them agreed it would be best if J.T. was given the opportunity to name his own replacement if he got the chief's job.

Floor said Salem will continue the participation with the DEA, which has proven financially fruitful for the city which has received seized vehicles for the department and some seized money.

Plans had already called for a current sergeant working part-time with the DTF and as a shift supervisor to become full-time with the DTF as a special assignment sergeant. Patrolman Brent Slider scored the highest on a recent sergeants' promotion exam and will be promoted to sergeant and move into the shift supervisor position. New patrolmen will need to be hired, with at least one to replace Floor's spot in the department and one to take Slider's spot.

The current roster, including the chief, has 19 officers, but Floor said that will be increased to 20 since they had created a new special assignment sergeant's post.

"We cannot afford to let the department become any smaller," he said.

Floor said he'll be working on his last day up to 4 p.m. and then the department will belong to Panezott.

He offered congratulations to the residents, saying "you're going to have a very good chief of police hopefully for many years to come."

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POLICE

SALEM REPORTS

— A woman in the 500 block of Aetna Street reported a possible scam at 1:38 p.m. Friday, saying she received a Mail Express with a check inside and instructions for cashing the check and she would end up with the balance after following some directions.

An officer agreed it was a scam and the paperwork was destroyed.

— A woman on Southeast Boulevard reported at 11:04 a.m. Friday that she found money had been taken from her purse and her checkbook and savings account books were taken.

Over the past month, she had allowed her granddaughter and her granddaughter's boyfriend to stay with her. The granddaughter had a problem in Stark County and was not there, but she still let the boyfriend stay. She wasn't sure of his last name, but said he's now staying somewhere else. The accounts were stopped and nothing was taken except for the cash.

— A man affiliated with a residential program in Akron for troubled youth called at 9:24 a.m. Friday to report a female juvenile told him Friday that she had previously been assaulted while in Salem four to five months ago.

She's in a safe resident house in Akron. The matter, which was listed on the report as rape, is under investigation.

— Marlene Lang, of South Lincoln Avenue, reported at 9:33 a.m. Friday that in the past two weeks, an unknown male was going around to her various rental properties and trying to sell the tenants a flat screen television, but had no television in his possession.

On one occasion, the tenants left the residence and returned to find the same male attempting to jimmy the door lock. He ran away when they arrived. All the tenants have given the same description for the male. Incidents occurred on Nov. 25, another day two weeks ago, Dec. 2 and Dec. 7.

— Police responded to East 11th Street for an audible alarm sounding at 9:25 a.m. Friday and found the front door of a residence open about 12 inches. Officers searched the inside and found no one. The keyholder arrived and the alarm was reset and the residence secured.

— Police were called at 5:29 a.m. Friday for a suspicious person standing on the sidewalk looking at a house in the 1200 block of Maple Street. Officers checked the area, but were unable to find the person.

— Police checked the 400 block of Columbia Street for a 911 hangup call at 12:59 a.m. Friday, but were unable to find anyone or any problems.

— Loud music from a vehicle was reported at 11:17 p.m. Thursday at North Lundy Avenue and East Third Street. No violations were observed, but an officer spoke to occupants of a vehicle matching the description given.

The man said he had been playing his car stereo loudly earlier and apologized for the problem.

— An officer on patrol at 10:54 p.m. Thursday in the 100 block of Railroad Street found damage to three panels of freshly poured concrete for the sidewalk. The damage consisted of writing in the soft concrete, including profane words, handprints, shoe prints and other symbols.

— Police were called to Salem Community Hospital at 9:09 p.m. Thursday for a male patient being treated who accidentally shot himself in the left hand while attempting to clean his weapon at a Fairview Court property. He thought the weapon was unloaded. A witness confirmed his story.

— A 15-year-old Salem girl was charged with delinquency related to an alleged assault after police were called at 6:42 p.m. Thursday to Waterworth Memorial Park for a reported assault and spoke with the juvenile victim, who was taken to Salem Community Hospital with unknown injuries.

The alleged suspect had fled before police arrived, but officers

were able to identify her, responded to her residence and placed her in custody. She was processed and released to a family member. Information will be forwarded to the juvenile officer for review.

— A barking dog was reported at 6:33 p.m. Thursday in the 200 block of North Madison Avenue, with the resident told to take care of the problem when the dog starts barking.

— Police received several hangup calls from a residence in the 900 block of North Ellsworth Avenue at 6:13 p.m. Thursday and made multiple attempts to call back the caller.

An adult called back and said several children were responsible for the calls and everything was fine. The adult brought his children to the police station so an officer could speak to them. They said they understood the importance of using 911 properly.

— Parminder Kaur, 26, of Camelot Drive, Columbiana, was cited for assured clear distance after her northbound vehicle on Southeast Boulevard failed to stop for traffic and struck the rear of another northbound vehicle driven by Jonathan Burnell, 38, of Parkway Drive, Columbiana, at 4:04 p.m. Thursday.

— Police responded to Salem Community Hospital at 3:55 p.m. Thursday for a juvenile assaulted a short time earlier in the 100 block of Hawley Avenue.

The juvenile had been punched several times, resulting in facial injuries that required medical treatment. Police learned the assault resulted from alleged comments the victim made to his ex-girlfriend's new boyfriend, the suspect in the assault. The 16-year-old suspect was charged with delinquency after being fully cooperative and taking responsibility for his actions. He had been advised of his rights first in the presence of his mother and was told to have no further contact with the victim.

— A juvenile problem was reported in the 800 block of East Fifth Street at 2:58 p.m. Thursday. An officer spoke with all parties involved, with the matter to be reviewed by the juvenile prosecutor.

— A man in the 100 block of West Seventh Street reported at 11:58 a.m. Thursday that he had an account with Buy-Sell-Trade and his account was frozen because it may have been used by a female. He was given advice on checking his accounts.

COLUMBIANA REPORTS

— Carol Litty reported she was at the Duke & Duchess convenience store on Tuesday night when a young person at the pump next to her entered her vehicle while she was inside the store and stole her coat and other items.

— A resident of Woodland Avenue reported Thursday her daughter was threatening to harm herself.

— Dean Duval asked Thursday to speak with an officer about fraud.

— Jason Maynard asked Thursday to speak with an officer about being harassed by his ex-girlfriend.

— A person who lives in an apartment on Quincy Avenue reported at 8:39 p.m. Thursday the neighbor's were playing their music too loud, and it was keeping her son awake.

LISBON REPORTS

— William Gub reported Thursday finding a money bag on Maple Street behind the county map building.

— Molly Donahey reported Thursday someone made seven unauthorized charges against her bank account on the Internet.

— A caller reported there was a vehicle parked near Fox's Pizza leaking gasoline at 11:26 a.m. Friday. The fire department was also called.

— Christy Morgan reported she was sitting in her car at the county Counseling Center parking lot at 1:18 p.m. Friday when she saw two females yelling at a child in the vehicle next to her. The one female was hitting the child and swearing at them.

YOUR STOCKS

Name	Last	Chg	Dir/FrtBear	16.54	+16	KB Home	15.65	+17	SpdRdJIA	131.46	-36
A-B-C-D			DirGldBll	10.78	+05	SpdGold	164.13	-24	SpdGold	164.13	-24
ADT Cp n	45.90	+90	DirnSCBull	58.32	-12	Keycorp	8.14	...	S&P500ETF142	10	-53
AES Corp	10.74	-03	Discover	39.54	-08	Kimco	19.29	+08	SpdRHome	25.60	-20
AK Steel	4.40	+26	DishNetwK	36.28	+07	KindMorg	33.72	-08	SpdRLeHy	40.76	+01
ASML Hld	63.64	+94	Disney	48.67	-44	Kinross g	9.77	+04	SpdRreit	62.07	-26
AT&T Inc	34.01	-31	DollarGen	43.83	-112	KodakKO g	8.93	+04	SpdRGEX	53.83	+11
AutLab	65.35	+03	DollarTr	38.63	-21	Kohls	43.80	-07	SpdRMetM	44.57	+74
Abbvie w	33.00	-80	DorleryRR	54.19	-03	KraftF	46.65	-02	Safeway	17.65	-08
AdobeSys	37.56	+203	DowChm	31.42	+39	Kroger	26.29	-06	Sandisk	42.67	-50
AMD	2.39	-02	DryShips	1.83	+09	KD Display	14.50	-83	LSI Corp	6.75	-12
AMD	2.39	-02	DuPont	44.09	+11	LSV Sands	46.37	+45	LaSalleH	24.19	-35
Aetna	45.57	-40	E-F-G-H			LeadProg	7.63	+07	Seabate	17.70	-05
Agilent	39.85	+05	E-Trade	8.32	+05	LennarrA	37.31	+11	SiderunNac	5.49	+06
AlcatelLuc	1.24	+14	eBay	50.36	-66	LibertyIN	47.73	-44	SivBRT n	18.24	...
Alcoa	8.74	+15	EMC Cp	24.72	-88	Lions	34.46	-07	SivWhn g	37.10	+29
Alexa rs	5.84	+80	Easton	52.87	-89	LowBas A	53.79	+81	SkykwsSol	19.80	-125
Allstate	40.18	-67	EdisonInt	44.81	-32	Lose	34.46	-07	SmithWes	9.13	-41
AlphaRls	9.88	+34	8x8 Inc	72.27	+57	LSV Sands	46.37	+45	SonyCp	10.96	+23
AlteraCp If	32.86	-15	Elian	10.06	+19	Macys	3.07	-15	SpRInSec	32.93	-16
Altria	33.16	-10	ElectArts	15.05	...	MarathnO	30.82	+63	SprnCo	42.95	-20
AmBv	42.11	-22	EmersonEl	51.75	-09	MarathPet	62.83	+106	SP Matls	36.65	+27
Amarin	8.84	-12	EnCana g	20.15	-93	MEMC	3.22	-08	SrriusXm	2.91	+18
Amazon	24.19	-206	EnDphrm	25.62	-103	MGM Rts	2.36	...	SwstAIR	10.19	+05
AMOVill	23.74	-13	ExcoRes	7.48	-09	Macys	3.07	-15	Symantec	18.68	-14
ACapAgcy	32.20	-30	Exelon	4.71	-29	MaratnO	30.82	+63	Synovus	2.39	-05
AmCapdIt	10.20	+02	Exelon	29.66	-02	MarathPet	62.83	+106	Target	60.50	-75
AmGen	20.57	-14	ExpScrips	54.78	-50	MktVGold	46.48	+14	TeckRes	35.67	+53
AmPep	56.65	+107	ExxonMol	88.06	-64	MX OilSvs	37.95	-64	ThermsP	64.21	-71
AmnltiGrp	33.94	-30	FX Netwks	90.41	-332	Navitell	8.21	-13	TimeWarr	46.77	-08
AmTower	46.36	+51	Facebook n	26.81	-143	Masco	16.12	-04	TitanMet	16.39	-05
AmeriBrgn	73.67	+58	FidNatlRfo	35.48	-06	Maximintg	29.56	+19	TriQuint	4.48	-16
Amgen	89.20	+05	FidNatRfo	12.36	-15	McDnlds	88.88	-29	TwoHrlvln	11.61	-08
Annyal	14.30	-03	FinLine	17.96	-09	McMoroR	15.52	-04	UnivW	19.65	+05
Apple Inc	509.79	-1930	FstNiagara	7.64	-14	MeadJchl	65.86	+23	Uy-V	19.65	+05
ApldMat	11.08	-03	FstSolar	32.56	+79	Medchl	6.79	+19	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ArcoAdm	31.14	-256	Flextm	6.09	-01	Medtrc	41.86	-33	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ArcoOut	7.66	+10	FloorLockr	32.51	-09	MedwCrcn	16.76	+61	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ArchDan	27.09	-06	FordM	11.10	-47	Merck	43.54	-41	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ArenaPhm	9.18	+31	Fortnet	21.00	+46	MetLife	31.84	-99	UBS AG	16.35	+13
AriadP	18.93	-495	FUEC	33.78	+30	MicroPCS	10.05	-06	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ArmourRsd	67.46	-13	FrontierCm	4.60	-11	Microsoft	26.81	-30	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Astraz	46.10	-03	FuelCell h	5.80	+07	Microsoft	26.81	-30	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Atmel	5.69	-07	Galisa SA	4.50	+03	Molycorp	10.05	-19	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Autodesk	34.21	-33	GameStop	27.51	-10	Mondelez	26.04	-06	UBS AG	16.35	+13
AvagoTch	31.14	-256	Gap	31.45	-02	MorgStan	18.05	+25	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Avaya	14.07	-31	GenElec	21.62	...	Mylan	27.97	-01	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BB&T Cp	28.29	-29	GenGrPrrp	19.95	-04	NI Hldg	6.32	+36	UBS AG	16.35	+13
B&P PLC	41.39	-08	GenMilfs	41.45	-04	NRG Ety	23.00	+26	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Baidu	97.40	+215	GenMotors	24.61	+51	Natnrs	13.71	-14	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Bakhu	91.49	-109	GenOn En	6.96	-12	NOIVarco	64.87	-71	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BokBrad pi	17.25	+03	Genworth	6.96	...	NetApp	32.99	-05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BokSBrasI	7.06	+03	Gerdard	8.74	-23	Netflrx	93.30	-74	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BioAm	10.58	+04	GileadSci	74.24	-53	NewOrEd	19.76	-07	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BKNTN	24.72	-03	GloaxShin	4.12	+18	Newcstle	8.61	-21	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Barclay	16.50	+21	GolLihns	5.16	+33	NewwMtl	44.29	-12	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BarPViv rs	30.33	+21	Sanf	14.70	...	NewsCpA	25.44	-22	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BarriK B	34.23	-14	Goldrpg g	36.82	-16	NewsCpB	24.17	-08	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BerkH B	89.15	-29	Goodrpg	19.36	+86	Neven g	26.78	-17	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BestBuy	12.05	-207	Goodyear	12.95	+09	NISource	24.15	-03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Boeing	74.02	-30	GreenEneT	62.87	-58	NobleCorp	33.87	-16	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BostonSci	5.67	+04	GreenMTC	40.32	-27	NOestAt	3.82	+06	UBS AG	16.35	+13
BrMysC	32.73	-06	Groupn	4.93	-13	NOstUit	38.69	-05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Brocade	32.06	-121	HCA Hldg	30.75	-10	NokiaCp	3.87	-02	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Broctm	5.46	+04	HCP Inc	44.19	-30	NOstUit	38.69	-05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CBS B	51.23	+02	HallconRrs	7.11	-02	NstRlrit	6.64	+15	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CMS Grp S	54.83	-63	Hallfrtn	33.39	-12	Nucor	42.58	+109	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CMS Eng	24.03	-39	Hallfrtn	21.29	-21	Nvidia	12.29	-09	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CSX	19.77	-03	Hillmt	6.17	-74	Philz	25.18	-15	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CVS Care	42.84	+74	HoclaM	5.73	-16	PhlMkr	87.75	-45	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CYS Invest	19.20	-17	Hemshprx	69	-04	Oi SA s	3.42	-02	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CabotOCS	46.79	+23	Hertz	15.93	-01	OSmcmd	6.92	+04	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ChesEng	16.56	-12	Hess	51.38	-46	Oracle	31.96	+05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Chivon	107.82	-09	HewlettP	14.75	-25	PNC Sra	5.41	...	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Chicos	17.92	+03	Homedp	62.06	-35	PNC Sra	5.41	...	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Chimera	2.71	-06	Honwillnt	15.55	-19	PPG	129.93	-472	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CienaCorp	15.71	-09	HosHtlls	61.26	-10	PPL Corp	28.79	-31	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Cirrus	25.59	-182	HudCoH	7.19	-05	PattUti	17.43	-04	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Cisco	19.86	+12	HudCoH	7.19	-05	PattUti	17.43	-04	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Citigroup	37.60	+31	HuntBnch	6.96	+03	PebdyE	27.68	+06	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Citirent	3.37	+21	Huntsm	16.18	-14	Permy	20.98	-18	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CliffnRrs	3.95	+167	I-J-K-L			PepsiCo	70.16	-05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Coach	57.06	+41	IAMGld g	11.74	+28	PetgrnPA	1.31	+03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Colt Inc	25.04	...	ISB&K	16.48	-02	PetgrnPA	1.31	+03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CocaCola s	37.66	+06	ISH&K	16.48	-02	PetgrnPA	1.31	+03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CocaCot	30.97	-16	ISH&K	16.48	-02	PetgrnPA	1.31	+03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Comcast	36.54	-40	ISHRKZ	62.26	-05	Petrobras	19.51	-66	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Comc spol	35.36	-42	ISHRKZ	62.26	-05	Petrobras	19.51	-66	UBS AG	16.35	+13
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Compuere	5.53	...	ISHRKZ	62.26	-05	Petrobras	19.51	-66	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CompuPhi S	57.69	-19	ITW	59.82	-185	PUSPP50 r	33.71	-01	UBS AG	16.35	+13
ConsalEng	13.70	-11	Informat	29.36	-12	Prntnlt	50.92	-92	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Corning	12.62	-12	IBM	20.53	-04	PulteGrp	17.14	-14	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CYSVeilVt	18.64	-12	IBM	20.53	-04	PulteGrp	17.14	-14	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CyberSec	25.85	-288	M-N-O-P			Q-R-S-T	15.65	+17	UBS AG	16.35	+13
CyberSec	25.85	-288	InfPa	38.06	+42	Qualcom	59.83	-54	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DCT Indl	6.36	+06	InPac	38.06	+42	Qualcom	59.83	-54	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DDR Corp	15.18	-01	Inveco	25.45	+21	RF MId	4.64	-05	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DR Horton	18.74	-14	Isis	9.98	+37	RadianGrp	4.95	-45	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Dell Inc	10.43	-10	ItauUnibn	15.66	-08	RadioShk	2.40	-70	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DeltaAuto	34.26	-07	JDS Uniph	12.58	-07	RegionsF	6.70	-24	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DelphiAri	11.22	-07	JPMorgCh	42.81	+03	Rehtech	2.84	-04	UBS AG	16.35	+13
DenburyR	5.88	-02	Jabli	17.51	-102	RSkMotn	14.04	-18	UBS AG	16.35	+13
Dynegy	15.71	-09	JetBlue	5.53	-05	RigHPl	6.52	-03	UBS AG	16.35	+13
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Christmas Eve Comes Early This Year

Bunker Hill United Methodist Church will offer full Christmas Eve services on December 23rd and 24th. Child care will be provided, as well as goodies after the service on the 23rd, and before the service on the 24th. Bring a friend – all are welcome!

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EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The Senior Choir and Bell Choir of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 291 S. Broadway Ave., will perform its Christmas Cantata during the worship services at 6:30pm December 22nd and at 10:30am December 23rd. Pastor Alan Smearsoll created the narration and arranged this year's Cantata, titled Evangelizoma, which is a Greek word meaning, "I bring good news." The poems were written by Karen Rodgers. Tom Drotleff is the senior choir director and Ila Jeanne Paxson is the organist and bell choir director. The public is invited.

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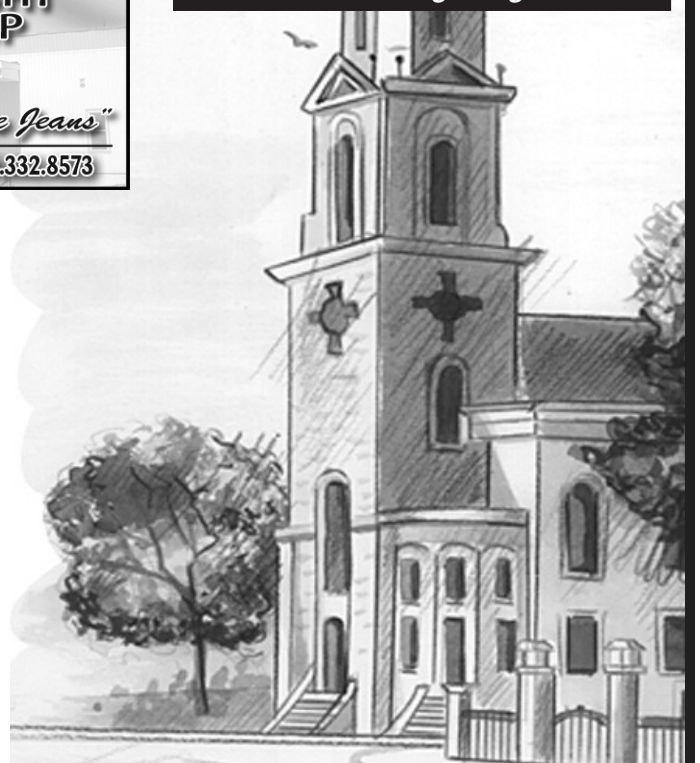
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COLUMBIANA
’Twas the Night Before 5k, Firestone Park, 5 p.m. Registration, www.active.com or www.SandB-Foundation.org.

DAMASCUS
All-you-can-eat breakfast, 7-11 a.m., Damascus United Methodist Church, 300 Valley Road.

EAST PALESTINE
Benefit spaghetti dinner for Tim Powers, 4:30-7:30 p.m., Unity Grange. Cost is \$8 for adults and \$6 for seniors. 330-426-2536.

LEETONIA
Family movie, “Christmas Story 2,” 1 p.m., Leetonia Community Public Library.

NEW MIDDLETOWN
Springfield Tiger basketball fund raiser cookie walk and Chinese auction, 10 a.m.-noon, St. Paul’s Church, 10142 Main St.; boxes provided.

SALEM
Christmas craft show, Slovak Club, 313 S. Ellsworth Ave., 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; for table space call 330-337-8426.

Salem Memorial and Patriotic Association’s wreath laying ceremony to pay homage to veterans, 11 a.m., Village Green at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and State Street.

Benefit spaghetti dinner for the family of Olivia Sage Thompson, 4-7 p.m., Elks Lodge on East State Street. Donations accepted at the door. To donate food, gift baskets, baked goods, etc., call

... ON THE **Calendar** THIS WEEK ...

330-356-9439 or 330-257-0189.

Salem Community Theatre, 8 p.m., “Honkytonk Angels Holiday Spectacular.” Adults \$14, seniors \$10, students \$8. Information and tickets, 330-332-9688. Dance, 9 p.m.-midnight, Eagles Club; music provided by Lazy River.

“Rocking for a Cause this Season” fund raiser and silent auction for the Salem Community Food Pantry, 7-11 p.m., Salem Little Quakers Hall, 1688 S. Lincoln Ave. Music provided by Theaz Guyz. Snacks and finger foods provided; \$7 per couple, \$5 per person.

Kent State Salem Commuниверsity’s Christmas concert, 7 p.m., Kent State University City Center, 230 N. Lincoln Ave.; free admission.

SUN/16
BELOIT
Children’s Christmas musical, 10 a.m., “The Mystery of the Manger. It’s the Gospel Truth.” Connecting Point Chapel, 12275 Beloit-Snodes Road. Public welcome.

COLUMBIANA
Community pancake breakfast, 9-10 a.m., Zion Hill Church of the Brethren, 14550 New Buffalo Road; \$2 for adults, \$1 for children. Christmas Advent service, 10:30 a.m.

DAMASCUS
Children’s choir of the Damascus United Methodist Church, 300 Valley Road, to present musical, “Meet Me at the Manger,” 10:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

HANOVERTON
United Local Vocal Music Department’s Christmas concert and cookie sale, 2:30 p.m., high school auditorium; free admission.

LISBON
Bingo, 6 p.m., Lisbon Lions Club, Industrial Park Road; doors open 4 p.m.

SALEM
Breakfast with Santa, 8-11 a.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892, 496 Arch St.; \$4.

Salem Community Theatre, 2 p.m., “Honkytonk Angels Holiday Spectacular.” Adults \$14, seniors \$10, students \$8. Information and tickets, 330-332-9688.

MON/17
BEAVER TOWNSHIP
South Range Local Board of Education, 7:30 p.m., K-12 campus music room.

CANFIELD
Board of Park Commissioners of Mill Creek MetroParks, meeting, 6 p.m., Fellows Riverside Gardens.

COLUMBIANA
TOPS 720, Presbyterian Church, weigh-ins, 9-9:35 a.m.; 330-482-5946.

Crown Theater Productions, Wizard of Oz auditions, 6-8 p.m., Main Street Theater’s Encore room, 5 North Main St., Cast call for ages 6 and up. Script reading and singing will be required at casting. Show dates for Wizard of Oz: Feb. 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24. 330-482-9915.

DAMASCUS
Lupus support group meeting, 7 p.m., Damascus Friends Church; 330-509-9015.

FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP
Fairfield-Waterford High School Class of 1959, coverdish dinner, 5:30 p.m., home of Jane Kress in Lisbon.

LISBON
Al-Anon meeting, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Fleming House, 7300 Rose Drive.

Alateen meeting, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Fleming House, 7300 Rose Drive.

SALEM
Food distribution, 9-11:30 a.m., Salem Community Pantry, 794 E. Third St.

R-Weigh weight groups, 1 and 5 p.m. meetings, Faith Chapel; 330-332-1078.

Emotions Anonymous, 2-3 p.m., Dunkin Donuts, West State Street; 330-332-1045.

TOPS 1380, 6:15 p.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 251 S. Broadway Ave.

Bingo, 6:45 p.m., Salem Little Quakers Hall, 1688 S. Lincoln Ave.; 330-332-2152.

West Branch Chorale Department’s “A Classical Showcase,” 3 p.m., St. Paul Catholic Church; free admission.

Salem Public Library’s regular board meeting, 4:30 p.m., board room.

Banquet and visit with Santa Claus, 5-7 p.m., Memorial Building; vegetable beef soup, pizza, salad, fresh fruit, assorted desserts.

Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892’s

meeting and Christmas party, 7 p.m., post home.

Salem Board of Education, work study session, 5:30 p.m., followed by regular meeting, 7 p.m., high school library, agenda will include executive session for preparing for, conducting or reviewing negotiations or bargaining session with employees.

TUE/18
CANFIELD
Free blood pressure, pulse and oxygen saturation screenings, 1-3 p.m., Canfield Public Library; provided by Salem Area Visiting Nurse.

That Quilt Group I Belong To, dinner and gift exchange, 6:30 p.m., Fair Park, \$15; doors open 6 p.m. Reservations, 330-533-1202.

COLUMBIANA
Crown Theater Productions, Wizard of Oz auditions, 6-8 p.m., Main Street Theater’s Encore room, 5 North Main St. Cast call for ages 6 and up. Script reading and singing required. Show dates: Feb. 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24. 330-482-9915.

HANOVERTON
United Local High School Class of 1961, lunch, 1 p.m., Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

LEETONIA
Leetonia Beehive Coke Oven Commission, public information session, 6 p.m., Leetonia Community Public Library.

Veterans Outpost and Home Front (family) support meetings, 7 p.m., Point Man’s of Leetonia, 116 1/2 Oak St.; 800-877-8387.

LISBON
Overeaters Anonymous, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Fleming House behind McDonald’s; 330-337-0940.

SALEM
Salem High School Class of 1943, breakfast, 8:30 a.m., Adele’s Place.

Goshen High School Class of 1941, breakfast, 9 a.m., Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

Rotary Club, lunch, 11:45 a.m., Salem Community Center.

Bank One retirees and former employees, Christmas luncheon, noon, Salem Golf Club; spouses invited.

Food distribution, 5-7:30 p.m., Salem Community Pantry, 794 E. Third St.

Salem Lions Club, 6 p.m., Memorial Building (second floor).

Salem City Council and City Planning Commission, public hearing, 7 p.m., city hall council chambers, regarding two rezoning requests related to proposed apartment complex at Pershing, Butcher and Cunningham.

Salem Jubilee Chorus practice. Male singers wanted, 7-8:30 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 244 S. Broadway Ave.; 330-337-6682.

WED/19
FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP
Trustees, regular meeting, 7 p.m., township government building, Fairfield School Road. Date changed from Dec. 20.

LEETONIA
Toddler Playgroup, 10 a.m., Leetonia Community Public Library.

LISBON
Columbiana County Board of Developmental Disabilities, meeting, 7 p.m., administration office, 7675 state Route 45.

SALEM
City Parks Commission meeting, 5 p.m., Memorial Building.

TOPS 777, weigh-ins 5:30-6:15 p.m., meeting 6:20 p.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 251 S. Broadway Ave.; 330-332-1280.

Salem Area Singles, meeting, 6 p.m., Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

Adult Children of Alcoholics (Al-Anon), 7:30 p.m., Episcopal Church; 330-831-4983 or 330-332-8233 after 6 p.m.

Holiday Chorale Concert, bake sale, basket raffle, 8 p.m., Salem High School auditorium. Free admission.

SEBRING
American Legion Post 76, Swiss steak dinner, 4:30-7 p.m., post home, 395 W. California Ave.

Al-Anon meetings, Pine Lake Christian Church, 636 Pine Lake Road. Beginner’s meeting, 6:30 p.m.; regular meeting, 7 p.m.

THU/20
BELOIT
West Branch Local Board of Education, 7:30 p.m., high school library.

GREENFORD
Greenford High School Class of 1958, lunch, 11:30 a.m., Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

LISBON
David Anderson High School Class of 1957, breakfast, 10 a.m., Taste of Country restaurant.

Help Hotline Crisis Center’s support group meeting of the Survivors of Suicide, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Columbiana County Counseling Center on Route 154; 330-424-7767.

SALEM
Former AT&T-Ohio Bell Telephone Operators, breakfast, 8:30 a.m., Salem Hills Golf and Country Club.

Class members, guests invited to the Greenford High School Class of 1958 lunch, 11:30 a.m., Salem Hill Golf & Country Club.

FRI/21
SALEM
Hired Hands concert, 7 p.m., meeting room, Dale Shaffer Research Library, \$10 per person (additional \$5 covers all the children in a family); 234-564-3852.

SAT/22
ALLIANCE
West Branch Chorale Department’s “A Classical Showcase,” 7 p.m., St. Paul Lutheran Church; free admission.

COLUMBIANA
Messiah Choir performance, 7 p.m., Main Street Theater; free admission. Doors open 6 p.m.

SALEM
Concealed carry class, Salem Hunting Club; 330-332-9847.

Christmas Cantata, 6:30 p.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 291 S. Broadway Ave.

SUN/23
EAST PALESTINE
Parker Brothers and Lacey in concert, 11 a.m., God’s Haven of Rest, 51966, state Route 14. Travis Parker in concert, 6 p.m.; 330-397-1284.

SALEM
Christmas Cantata, 10:30 a.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 291 S. Broadway Ave.

TUE/25
SALEM
Banquet in Salem, 5 p.m., Memorial Building; turkey with all the fixings including dressing, mashed potatoes, dessert.

WED/26
COLUMBIANA
Salem Area Singles, meeting, 6 p.m., 7&14 restaurant.

ELKTON
Elkrun Township trustees, meeting, 7 p.m., township administration building on state Route 154.

SALEM
Salem High School Class of 1955, lunch, 11:30 a.m., BB Rooners.

TOPS 777, weigh-ins 5:30-6:15 p.m., meeting 6:20 p.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 251 S. Broadway Ave.; 330-332-1280.

Adult Children of Alcoholics (Al-Anon), 7:30 p.m., Episcopal Church; 330-831-4983 or 330-332-8233 after 6 p.m.

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- Your courage and bravery still inspire us all, and the memory of your smile fills us with joy.
- Though out of sight, you’ll forever be in heart and mind.
- The days may come and go, but the times we shared will always remain.
- May God’s angels guide you and protect you throughout time.
- You were a light in our life that burns forever in our hearts.
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► COLLEGE FOOTBALL



Mount Union's Chris Denton (1) is tackled by St. Thomas' Pat Flaherty (5) and Chinni Oji (2), right, during the first half of the NCAA Division III football championship in Salem, Va., Friday. (AP Photo)

Purple Raiders prevail

Mount Union tops St. Thomas in Stag Bowl 28-10

SALEM, Va. (AP) — Mount Union is back on top of Division III football.

Kevin Burke led two second-half touchdown drives and the Purple Raiders ended a three-year losing streak in the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl with a 28-10 victory over St. Thomas of Minnesota on Friday night.

The victory gave Mount Union coach Larry Kehres his 11th national title in 16 appearances in the

Stagg Bowl, all in the past 20 years. His record improved to a staggering 332-24-3 in 27 seasons.

Burke threw a 17-yard touchdown pass to Chris Denton on fourth down late in the third quarter to give the Purple Raiders (15-0) a 21-10 lead, then directed a 14-play, 87-yard drive for the clinching score with 4:28 to play. The sophomore quarterback completed three third-down passes to keep the drive alive.

The Tommies (14-1), making their first appearance in

the championship game, managed only 15 yards of offense in the third quarter against Mount Union's top-rated defense, and couldn't stop the Purple Raiders' top-ranked offense after closing to 14-10 on a field goal in the third quarter.

The Purple Raiders had lost three straight Stagg Bowls, and four of the last five, all against Wisconsin-Whitewater as the teams met at Salem Stadium in the season finale for seven

See RAIDERS, 4B

► NFL



In this April 19 file photo, Cleveland Browns general manager Tom Heckert discusses the upcoming draft at the NFL football team's headquarters in Berea, Ohio. Heckert says he would be deeply disappointed if he is let go at the end of this season. (AP Photo)

Browns GM hopes to return next season

Tom Heckert hopes to continue building Cleveland team

BEREA (AP) — Tom Heckert has rebuilt the Browns, infusing them with talent and adding depth to a roster with none.

And now, just as the young team he's put together is reaching its potential and still in the AFC playoff hunt, Heckert could be down to his final weeks as Cleveland's general manager.

By season's end, Heckert may be replaced by new owner Jimmy Haslam and CEO Joe Banner, who are likely to overhaul Cleveland's front office and coaching staff.

"You know, it's going to be disappointing," Heckert said Friday when asked about the prospect of not returning. "But I do get it. It's just one of those things. There's a variety of reasons why that could happen, but I'm OK with that. I don't know how else to react. If it doesn't work out, I can't just sit around and pout about it, I've got to go try to do it somewhere else."

"We'll see what happens." These are days of

See BROWNS, 3B

► PREP BASKETBALL — SALEM TAKES HOME OPENER VS. MARLINGTON

Out-Duked

Quakers too much for Dukes; Hart coaches team to win in first game back

By JON RUDDER
Staff Writer

SALEM — Salem head coach Rich Hart looked up following Friday night's game at John A. Cabas Gymnasium and summed up his return in just three words.

"I feel great," he said with a smile.

He should. His Quakers used a 10-0 run mid-way through the fourth quarter to secure their fourth win on the season, 56-43 over Marlinton to remain unbeaten.

"I got cleared on Wednesday," Hart said. "I couldn't spend another two or three days doing nothing."

Hart returned to the bench for the first time this season after a medical procedure to put at stint in his heart. He said he wasn't feeling any effects of it following the game.

"Once the game started, it wasn't going to make any difference," he said.

The early season North-eastern Buckeye Conference match-up took a slower pace with both teams managing just four points midway through the first frame.

Each team then rattled off runs of seven points, beginning with the Quakers. Back-to-back buckets by Anthony Shivers put Salem up 8-4 and a 3-pointer by Bush extended their lead to 11-4.

Marlinton answered with

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In for two Salem Ryan Bush looks to score two points during the team's game Friday against Marlinton at John A. Cabas Gymnasium. (Salem News/B.J. Lisko)



Southern's Luke Griffith looks to drive into the lane during the team's game Friday at Leetonia. (Salem News/Patricia Schaeffer)

Indians break away from Bears

Southern tops Leetonia 65-49

By MICHAEL S. BURICH
Staff Writer

SALINEVILLE — Southern Local knew Leetonia was going to throw an intense and up tempo defensive game at it coming into Friday's Inter-Tri County League

Tier 2 showdown.

That was fine and dandy with the Indians as they adapted early and shook off some rough patches to come away with a 65-49 victory.

Southern senior Luke Griffith led the way with 27 points and a career-high 14 rebounds as the Indians improved to 3-2 and 1-2 in the

ITCL lower tier.

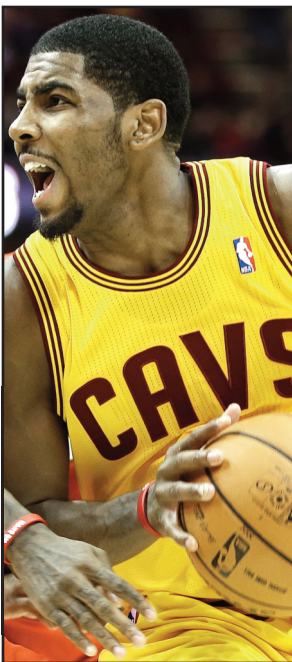
"I was surprised I had that many rebounds," Griffith said. "A lot of balls came right to me. It was just one of those nights where you were in the right spot. It felt good getting on the boards, but we had a nice floor game too."

Griffith was on the end of one of those nice floor plays in the first quarter as Dylan Ketchum saved a ball from going out of bounds and flipped a pass behind his back to Griffith who put it away on a very smooth fast-break.

"That was all Dylan," Griffith said. "I was just in the right spot. He made a great hustle play and flipped it right to me. I had to finish it for him if he's going to make

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Cleveland Cavaliers' Kyrie Irving drives against the Milwaukee Bucks in the second quarter Friday in Cleveland. (AP Photo)

Bucks rally past Cavs

Milwaukee edges Cleveland 90-86

CLEVELAND (AP) — Monta Ellis scored a season-high 33 points, Brandon Jennings added 16 and the Milwaukee Bucks defeated the Cleveland Cavaliers 90-86 on Friday night.

The win gave Milwaukee a season-high four-game winning streak and was the Bucks' ninth straight victory over the Cavaliers.

Kyrie Irving scored 26 points to lead Cleveland, which committed a season-high 27 turnovers. The Cavaliers have lost seven of eight and 11 of 13.

Ellis, who scored 20 points in the second half, was 12 for 24 from the field.

Cavaliers center Anderson Varejao, the league's leading rebounder, left the game in the first half after sustaining a contusion to his lower left leg. X-rays taken at halftime were negative and Varejao came back in the game early in the third quarter. He had eight points and 18 rebounds.

Ellis was at his best late. The Bucks led 80-78 with 5:26 to play after C.J. Miles hit a 3-pointer. Ellis scored on a layup, hit two free throws and made a jumper to stretch the lead to 86-80 with 2:41 remaining.

Milwaukee never trailed in the first half and built a 16-point lead in the second quarter. The Bucks led 52-43 at halftime, but Irving scored nine points in the first 4 minutes of the third quarter to help the Cavaliers rally. Miles hit two free throws with 6:30 remaining in the third quarter to put Cleveland ahead 57-56, the Cavaliers' first lead of the

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9:30 p.m.

HBO — Champion Guillermo Rigondeaux (11-0-0) vs. Poonswat Kratingdaengym (48-2-0), for WBA super bantamweight title; champion Nonito Donaire (30-1-0) vs. Jorge Arce (61-6-2), for WBC Diamond/WBO junior featherweight titles, at Houston

10:30 p.m.

SHO — Heavyweights, Deontay Wilder (25-0-0) vs. Kelvin Price (13-0-0); junior middleweights, Alfredo Angulo (21-2-0) vs. Jorge Silva (19-2-2); Amir Khan (26-3-0) vs. Carlos Molina (17-0-1), for vacant WBC Silver super lightweight title, at Los Angeles

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

1 p.m.

ESPN — New Mexico Bowl, Nevada vs. Arizona, at Albuquerque, N.M.

ESPN2 — NCAA, Division II, playoffs, championship, Valdosta St. vs. Winston-Salem, at Florence, Ala.

4:30 p.m.

ESPN — Famous Idaho Potato Bowl, Toledo vs. Utah St., at Boise, Idaho

EXTREME SPORTS

2 p.m.

NBC — Dew Tour, iON Mountain Championships, at Breckenridge, Colo. (same-day tape)

11 p.m.

NBCSN — Dew Tour, iON Mountain Championships, at Breckenridge, Colo. (same-day tape)

GOLF

5:30 a.m.

TGC — European PGA Tour, Alfred Dunhill Championship, third round, at Mpumalanga, South Africa

9:30 a.m.

TGC — The Royal Trophy, second round, at Negara, Brunei (same-day tape)

4 p.m.

NBC — Father-Son Challenge, first round, at Orlando, Fla.

8 p.m.

TGC — PGA Tour Australasia, Australian PGA Championship, final round, at Coolool Beach, Australia

1 a.m.

TGC — Asian Tour, Johor Open, final round, at Johor Bahr, Malaysia (delayed tape)

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

2 p.m.

CBS — National coverage, Indiana vs. Butler, at Indianapolis

2:30 p.m.

FSN — Louisville at Memphis

4:30 p.m.

ESPN2 — Purdue vs. Notre Dame, at Indianapolis

FSN — Nebraska at Oregon

8 p.m.

ESPN — West Virginia vs. Michigan, at Brooklyn, N.Y.

9 p.m.

ESPN2 — Kansas St. vs. Gonzaga, at Seattle

10 p.m.

ESPN — Florida at Arizona

NBA BASKETBALL

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WGN — Brooklyn at Chicago

SOCCER

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ESPN2 — Premier League, Manchester City at Newcastle

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NBCSN — Women's national teams, exhibition, United States vs. China, at Boca Raton, Fla.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

7 p.m.

ESPN2 — NCAA, Division I, playoffs, championship, Oregon vs. Texas, at Louisville, Ky.

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1974 — Oakland's Jim "Catfish" Hunter is ruled a free agent by arbitrator Peter Seitz when A's owner Charles O. Finley fails to live up to the terms of Hunter's contract.

2000 — Georgia Southern beats Montana 27-25 for a second-straight Division I-AA championship and its a record sixth championship.

2006 — Kobe Bryant of the Los Angeles Lakers scores 53 points in a 112-101 double overtime victory against the Houston Rockets.

PREP ROUNDUP

McDonald rolling through Tier 2

Staff Reports

McDonald 91,

Western Reserve 47

BERLIN CENTER — Western Reserve fell to McDonald 91-47 Friday.

Leading McDonald (5-0, 3-0 ITCL Tier 2) was Matt Seitz with 38 points. Steve Politano added 22.

For Western Reserve, Nick Tobin had 22 points and nine rebounds. Joe Falasca added seven points and eight boards.

Western Reserve (2-3, 1-2 ITCL Tier 2) plays Tuesday at Southern.

McDonald travels to Sebring.

MCDONALD: 14 26 26 25 — 91

WESTERN RESERVE: 12 12 12 11 — 47

MCDONALD SCORING: Anthony Pugh 1-5-8, Stephen Politano 8-1-22, Christian Rusinowski 2-2-6, Tyler Smith 3-0-6, Patrick Kunkel 2-0-4, Zack Conley 1-0-2, Kenny Greaver 0-2-2, Matt Seitz 14-4-38, Zack Fudyski 1-1-3. TEAM TOTALS: 32, 15-19, 91.

WESTERN RESERVE SCORING: Payton Snyder 1-0-3, Dalton Korda 1-2-4, Tim Cooper 0-0-0, Coleman Smith 0-0-0, Joe Wisniewski 2-0-6, Nick Tobin 10-2-22, Nolan Snyder 2-0-5, Joe Falasca 3-1-7. TEAM TOTALS: 19, 5-15, 47.

THREE POINTERS: McDonald 12 (Seitz 6, Politano 5, Pugh), Western Reserve 4 (P. Snyder, Wisniewski 2, Falasca).

Springfield 58, United 34

HANOVERTON — Springfield topped United Friday 58-34.

Leading the Tigers (4-0, 3-0 ITCL Tier 1) was Brandon Chamberlain with 18 points. Eoghan Bees added 16 points.

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a run of its own as Chris Andrews knocked down an open 3-pointer from the corner to tie things at 11 with less than a minute to play.

Ryan Bush came back with a tip in on the Quakers next possession to put Salem back ahead — a lead they would not relinquish for the remainder of the evening.

Officials let both teams play for much of the first two quarters, in a physical league game that didn't see either team make a trip to the free-throw line until the second.

“That’s the NBC — it’s a war every night,” Hart said. “All of these games are very physical and whoever executes the best is going to come out on top. You have to rebound, you have to play defense and you have to execute to win these games.”

And rebound the Quakers did, particularly Max Wolfgang, whose presence in the scorebook was not nearly as important as on the glass. Wolfgang finished the game with six points but pulled down 14 rebounds.

“Max just cleaned the boards, and I’m really proud of the way he played,” Hart said.

The Quakers had a task of slowing down Marlinton’s Lucas Strouble, who has committed to play at the collegiate level at Walsh. “He’s very athletic,” Hart

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a tough play like that.”

Griffith said that was play of the year caliber and provided a lot of energy going into the end of the first quarter.

“It’s one of those things where if you do that, someone has to be there to get the ball,” Southern coach Whittaker said. “Sometimes the ball just goes out of bounds. It’s like in tennis where someone will hit that shot between their legs. It’s a hustle play and that’s what you have to do to make those plays. You have to want the ball.”

Southern led 26-12 after the first quarter in which the Bears (2-3, 1-2) lost senior starter Cody Valentine to a hip injury.

“I don’t know how bad it is, but it didn’t look too good,” first-year Leetonia coach Eric Whitmer said.

Leetonia slipped out of full court pressure into a triangle and two zone in the second quarter, but the Indians had all sorts of trouble exploiting the weaknesses in

For United, Caleb Conser had eight points.

Springfield also won the reserve contest 60-47. Jordan Peterson scored 24 for the Tigers; Devin Minard tallied 17 for the Eagles.

United (0-5, 0-3 ITCL Tier 1) hosts Crestview Tuesday.

SPRINGFIELD: 17 14 15 12 — 58

UNITED: 9 8 10 7 — 34

SPRINGFIELD SCORING: Joe Caraballo 1-0-2, Mark Schuler 2-2-6, Eoghan Bees 5-2-16, Jared McTigue 4-0-8, Joe Wrask 2-0-5, Brandon Chamberlain 8-0-18, Alex Wharry 1-0-3. TEAM TOTALS: 23, 4-5, 58.

UNITED SCORING: Paul Faulkner 2-0-4, Brandon Miller 2-0-5, Garrett Beech 1-0-2, Cody Dickens 2-0-5, Andrew Martin 1-0-2, Caleb Conser 4-0-8, Braden Davison 3-0-6. TEAM TOTALS: 16, 0-0, 34.

THREE POINTERS: Springfield 8 (Bees 4, Wrask Chamberlain 2, Wharry), United 2 (Dickens, Miller).

Lisbon 62, Jackson-Milton 35

LISBON — Lisbon topped Jackson-Milton 62-35 in Tier 1 ITCL action Friday.

Leading the Blue Devils was Avery Andric with 13 points. Josh Liberati added 11, and Austin Rutecki and Matt Spencer had 10 each. Spencer also added 13 rebounds. Liberati had seven boards and seven assists.

Jorge Fitzpatrick had 11 for the Bluejays (1-4, 0-3 ITCL Tier 1).

Lisbon also won the reserve game 50-47. Jared Merriman had 14 points, and Trevor Reese added 12.

Lisbon (3-2, 2-1 ITCL Tier 1) plays Tuesday at South Range.

JACKSON-MILTON: 6 7 8 14 — 35



Salem’s Anthony Shivers is fouled going to the hoop during the team’s game Friday against Marlinton at John A. Cabas Gymnasium in Salem. Shivers finished with a game-high 21 points. (Salem News/B.J. Lisko)

said.

Strouble finished the night with 12 points, but was largely limited due to a combined effort from several Quakers.

“Tony did a heck of a job on the Strouble kid,” Hart said. “He held him to 12 points and it was a hard 12 points. (Zach) Economous did a good job on him as well. He’s a kid we couldn’t let get going from beyond the 3-point line.”

The Quaker bench provided a boost throughout the evening and helped Salem take a seven-point lead into the locker room with Mike Madison’s basket late in the

that defense.

“The triangle and two gave us some problems,” Whittaker said. “You don’t see that often. We attacked it well, but we were shooting the ball too soon or throwing it away.”

Leetonia limited Southern to five points in the second quarter and was down 31-28 at the half.

That rally didn’t last long however. Southern was able to extend the lead to as many as 14 points in the third quarter before it settled into a comfortable groove heading into the fourth.

Outside of Griffith, Kyler Woodward played a key role on the boards with 18 points and 14 rebounds. J.J. Napierkowski had seven assists, while Jared Shilot had nine rebounds.

As for the Bears, the early part of the season has been an adjustment period as Whitmer is back in a head coaching role for the first time since resigning at Columbiana in 2010.

“The kids are working their butts off,” Whitmer said. “We’re trying to change the atmosphere around

LISBON: 13 12 20 17 — 62

JACKSON-MILTON SCORING: Chuck Anderson 2-1-5, Chris Dolan 1-0-2, Jorge Fitzpatrick 4-2-11, Jake McAdams 2-5-9, Tyler Totari 2-0-4, Brandon Mitchell 1-2-4. TEAM TOTALS: 12, 10-18, 35.

LISBON SCORING: Corey Brammer 2-0-5, Matt Spencer 5-0-10, Eric Walker 2-0-6, Josh Liberati 3-3-11, Austin Rutecki 5-0-10, Avery Andric 5-2-13, Josh Craig 3-0-7. TEAM TOTALS: 25, 5-9, 62.

THREE POINTERS: Jackson-Milton 1 (Fitzpatrick), Lisbon 7 (Walker 2, Liberati 2, Andric, Craig, Brammer).

East Palestine 52, Crestview 43

NEW WATERFORD — East Palestine rallied from a 13-4 first quarter deficit to beat Crestview on the road 52-43 Friday.

Leading the Bulldogs was Austen Reiser with 27 points, nine rebounds and four blocks. Nate Keylor added 13 points and five assists.

For Crestview, Collin Gilbert had 17 points and three steals. Robert Logan added 16 points and 15 rebounds.

Crestview won the reserve game 53-37. Eric Lloyd had 21 for the Rebels.

Phil Fusetti had 15 for East Palestine.

East Palestine (2-3, 2-1 ITCL Tier 1) plays Tuesday at Jackson-Milton.

Crestview (2-3, 1-2 ITCL Tier 1) travels to United.

EAST PALESTINE: 4 15 10 23 — 52

CRESTVIEW: 13 4 11 15 — 43

EAST PALESTINE SCORING: Nick Monteleone 2-1-5, Nate Keylor 3-6-14, Austen Reiser 8-7-27, Billy Bibby 1-0-3, Alec Dumbauld 1-0-3. TEAM TOTALS: 15, 15-24, 52.

CRESTVIEW SCORING: Evan Nentwick 1-1-3, Drew Batchelor 2-0-5, Collin Gilbert 6-1-17, Robert Logan 7-2-16, Derek Bable 1-0-2.

TEAM TOTALS: 17, 4-8, 43.

THREE POINTERS: East Palestine 7 (Reiser 4, Keylor 2, Bibby), Crestview 5 (Gilbert 4, Batchelor).

Wellsville 85, Columbiana 36

COLUMBIANA — Wellsville cruised to an 85-36 win in Columbiana Friday night.

Leading the Tigers was Nate Scott with 36 points. Camden Douglas added

15.

For Columbiana, Jake DeJong had 22 points.

Wellsville (4-1, 3-0 ITCL Tier 2) hosts Leetonia Tuesday.

Columbiana (0-5, 0-3 ITCL Tier 2) hosts Lowellville.

WELLSVILLE: 25 22 26 12 — 85

COLUMBIANA: 7 9 7 13 — 36

WELLSVILLE SCORING: Camden Douglas 6-2-15, Nate Scott 13-2-36, Antonio Fultz 2-0-4, Seth Bradford 5-1-12, Brendon Carr 3-0-6, Jordan Sloan 5-1-12. TEAM TOTALS: 34, 6-7, 85.

COLUMBIANA SCORING: Kyle Bryan 2-0-6, Nathan Garofalo 0-1-1, Jake DeJong 10-2-22, Austin Miner 3-1-7. TEAM TOTALS: 15, 4-9, 36.

THREE POINTERS: Wellsville 11 (Scott 8, Douglas, Bradford, Sloan), Columbiana 2 (Bryan 2).

Lowellville 70, Sebring 26

LOWELLVILLE - The Rockets built a 50-5 halftime lead as they cruised to a 70-26 victory over Sebring in ITCL Tier 2 play.

Nick Ballone scored 11 of his game-high 22 points in the first quarter as Lowellville built a 17-3 lead. Pat

Mangine added 14 points for the Rockets, and Paolo DePasquale scored 10, all of which came in the second quarter.

Josh Hurford led Sebring with nine points.

LOWELLVILLE: 17 23 13 17 — 70

SEBRING: 3 2 16 5 — 26

LOWELLVILLE SCORING: Geno Moore 1-0-2, Nick Ballone 10-1-22, Pat Mangine 6-0-14, Phil Alfano 1-0-2, J.T. Hvidsak 4-0-8, Marcus Rivera 1-2-5, David Wilaj 1-2-4, Spiro Schialdone 1-0-2, Paolo DePasquale 4-0-10, Drew McLaughlin 1-1-2. TEAM TOTALS: 29, 6-10, 70.

SEBRING SCORING: Josh Zmuda 1-0-2, Josh Hurford 3-3-9, Joe Davis 3-0-7, Dylan Mick 2-0-5, Eddie Kollar 1-1-3. TEAM TOTALS: 10, 4-8, 26.

THREE POINTERS: Lowellville 6 (Mangine 2, DePasquale 2, Ballone, Rivera), Sebring 2 (Davis, Mick).

Carrollton 64, West Branch 50

CARROLLTON — Carrollton topped West Branch 64-50 Friday in NBC action.

Leading West Branch was Kip DeShields with 13 points and seven rebounds. Matt Meiter added 10 points and Drake Lohnes added eight.

West Branch (1-3, 0-2 NBC) plays Tuesday at Canton South.

WEST BRANCH: 5 13 13 19 — 50

CARROLLTON: 13 19 10 22 — 64

WEST BRANCH SCORING: Beau Taylor 0-4-4, Kolton Kitzmiller 2-0-6, Drake Lohnes 3-2-8, Kip DeShields 4-4-13, Zack Mucklo 2-0-4, Matt Meiter 4-1-10, Jacob Griffith 2-1-5. TEAM TOTALS: 17, 12-21, 50.

CARROLLTON SCORING: J. Lovett 1-1-3, J. Peterson 1-7-9, C. Hartony 1-0-2, C Pasivk 3-3-10, Z. Deitz 4-3-12, A. Collins 6-4-17, S. Erickson 4-3-11. TEAM TOTALS: 20, 21-29, 64.

THREE POINTERS: West Branch 4 (Kitzmiller 2, DeShields, Meiter), Carrollton 3 (Collins, Reitz, Pasivk).

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Bucs not done with offseason moves

Pirates happy with deals so far, but looking to expand further

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Neil Walker is hardly bothered the Pittsburgh Pirates haven't been exactly been lighting up the rumor mill over the last few months. If anything, the second baseman sees it as a sign of just how far the club has come.

"The good thing about this offseason is that we weren't looking to upgrade at six, seven different spots as we have," Walker said Friday. "We knew we were going to get a couple arms from a starter standpoint, knew we were looking for a catcher to go with (Mike McKenry). I think we upgraded very well. You've got to like what you're looking at on paper."

The Pirates landed three-time All-Star catcher Russell Martin and re-signed veteran setup man Jason Grilli. Other than that, the moves have been minor. Walker doesn't view that as an issue. "We're going to roll with what we've got and we're excited about the additions we've made," Walker said. Besides, it's unlikely Pitts-

burgh is done. Though general manager Neal Huntington is happy with the moves the team has made he's expects to stay busy before the first full squad workout in Bradenton, Fla., on Feb. 15. "We still have some irons in the fire, and at the same time we feel good about what we are," Huntington said.

The biggest item at the top of Huntington's offseason list was finding a catcher. Veteran Rod Barajas did wonders with the pitching staff but struggled at the plate and behind it, throwing out just 6 percent (6 of 101) base runners attempting to steal and hitting just .206 with 11 home runs and 31 RBI in 106 games.

The 29-year-old Martin is still in his prime, though his batting average dipped to a career-low .211 last season with the New York Yankees. The two-year deal also gives Martin a little time to settle in and Huntington is confident the hitting woes that plagued Martin are a thing of the past.

"He's a better hitter than that," Huntington said. "He's going to grind out at bats,

which is going to help us get into opponent's bullpens. He's an athlete on the bases. We feel like he's a significant upgrade offensively and defensively."

Grilli's return also gives the back end of the bullpen some stability and flexibility. The 36-year-old has been one of the better late-inning relievers in the league since signing with Pittsburgh in July, 2011. While he's never been a closer, Grilli could find himself thrust into the role if Pittsburgh move two-time All-Star Joel Hanrahan, who is likely due a hefty raise in arbitration.

Hanrahan is also the team's most valuable — and tradable — asset, perhaps the biggest chip they have in trying to find some help in the starting rotation. Pittsburgh is set on a top three of A.J. Burnett, Wandy Rodriguez and James McDonald but at the moment has youngsters Jeff Locke and Kyle McPherson penciled in for the fourth and fifth spots. The Pirates would like to throw an established starter in the mix and hope Charlie Morton recovers from elbow ligament-re-

placement surgery. Morton is expected to be out until at least June.

The plans, at the moment, do not include rushing 2011 No. 1 draft pick Gerrit Cole to the majors. The right-hander was spectacular at times last season and will get a chance to impress in spring training, but Huntington refuses to put any sort of timetable on when Cole will make it to Pittsburgh. While finding a new home for Hanrahan could help the Pirates in the long-term, it could also affect clubhouse chemistry. The burly Hanrahan is popular with his teammates, and Pittsburgh's swoons in 2011 and 2012 came after the team made a handful of moves to try to stay in play-off contention.

The moves, however, didn't pan out and Huntington allows it may disrupted the positive vibes.

"Did we disrupt chemistry?" Huntington said. "Any time you make a move, that's certainly something you take into consideration."

The Pirates went 79-83 in 2012, tied for the club's best record in 20 years.

► **NFL**

Steelers DB Victorian, Van Dyke ready for more

Young players thrust into more prominent roles due to injuries

PITTSBURGH (AP) — As the veteran member of the Pittsburgh Steelers' other-



wise-youthful cornerbacks, Ike Taylor enjoys being among the first- and second-year players at his position meetings.

"I feel like they keep me young," Taylor said. "Especially with the new young music coming up, the clothes, shoes, all that kind of stuff."

This week, it's much more than music or fashion trends that have Taylor appreciating players such as Josh Victorian, DeMarcus Van Dyke, Curtis Brown and Robert Golden.

With Taylor sidelined with a fractured right ankle and top reserve Cortez Allen likely out with a groin injury, the likes of Victorian and Van Dyke are thrust into prominent roles.

Picked up late in training camp, neither was even active for games as recently as two weeks ago.

But as the Steelers (7-6) head into Dallas (7-6), they'll be counting on the inexperienced cornerbacks to deal with the Cowboys' talented receivers.

"We tried to teach these young players like they are going to be starting because

we know someday, they will be starting," Pittsburgh defensive coordinator Dick LeBeau said. "Unfortunately, we got a couple hits at the same spot. Generally speaking, throughout the course of a season, this happens every year. It's not a surprise that some of these guys are going to be starting and taking a significant amount of snaps. Hopefully they will be prepared and answer the challenge."

The results were mixed in this past Sunday's game, the first without Taylor for the Steelers since 2006. Allen made his first career start, and fellow second-year pro Brown also was bumped up the depth chart to play in nickel packages.

Repeatedly picking on Brown and Allen, Philip Rivers threw three touchdown passes and was 12-for-18 when passing on third down with eight of those completions going to receivers that either Brown or Allen was covering.

That led to coach Mike Tomlin benching Brown in favor of Victorian, who had been cut off the practice squad the week prior.

While acknowledging that was "a big step," Victorian said he never doubted his abilities — not when he was cut five times by four teams in a 14-month span, and not

when he was beat by Darnario Alexander for a touchdown on one of his first plays in his first NFL regular-season game Sunday. "To play corner not only on this team but in this league, you have to have confidence," the 5-foot-10 Victorian said.

"Coming up I wasn't always as big as everybody, so confidence is something that has been building in me since I was a young kid. I think I'm pretty confident now."

Van Dyke was confident he was going to be drafted by the Steelers in 2011 after speaking multiple times with Tomlin. Instead, Oakland plucked him in the third round with the 81st pick, leaving Pittsburgh with Brown at No. 95 and Allen at No. 128.

Van Dyke started four of 14 games for the Raiders as a rookie last season but was cut at the end of this past training camp.

The Steelers were happy to scoop him up but limited him to special teams during the first half of the season.

But multiple penalties that negated returns led to Tomlin deactivating Van Dyke five times in a six-game span before he was needed against the Chargers because of Taylor's injury. "It's always good to put

your hand in the pile, as coach Tomlin always says," Van Dyke said. "I just have to go out and make plays and help my team win this game, do what coach LeBeau and coach Tomlin want me to do."

During practice Friday, Victorian and Brown were the top two corners to play after Keenan Lewis, a first-year starter who himself fought through a minor hip injury this week. Golden, an undrafted rookie safety, also was given reps in nickel packages.

The Steelers secondary will depend upon to help deal with Dallas' Dez Bryant, Miles Austin and Jason Witten, who all are on pace to have 1,000-yard receiving seasons.

Between them, Victorian, Van Dyke, Brown and Golden have combined for four NFL starts.

"We will need every one of them, without a doubt," LeBeau said. "They will all be playing."

"Hopefully, we have some quality depth. It's a challenge for us."

NOTES: LB LaMarr Woodley made it through an entire week of practice without setback or incident after missing the past two-and-a-half games due to an ankle injury. He is listed as probable to play Sunday.

your diamonds in the rough in rounds 4-7, and he's done that. He's really turned this roster over."

Heckert has been touched by the support he's gotten from Browns fans, some of whom have begun a campaign to keep him.

The uncertainty has been hard on his scouting staff and family, including his parents, who fly in from Florida for every home game. Heckert's father, Tom, spent five seasons as a scout for the Browns in the '80s.

Cleveland seems on the cusp of a long, successful run.

Heckert started it, and he wants to finish it.

"Of course," he said. "I really enjoy the city and I really enjoy this team, so that would be the ideal situation."

NOTES: Speaking for the first time since he was hospitalized, guard Jason Pinkston feels grateful to be alive following a health scare that ended his season. Pinkston was hospitalized in October following a game against Cincinnati with blood clots in his lungs. He said doctors told him if he had taken a hit in the game that "I could've probably died then so I'm all happy about it that I'm still here." He has been working out and plans to play next season. For the second week, the Browns did not have any players listed as "out," "doubtful," or "questionable" on their injury report.

AROUND THE HORN



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West Branch wrestlers top Louisville

BELOIT — West Branch topped Louisville in wrestling action Thursday to open league play 50-12.

"I am very pleased with Colin Boswell's performance," head coach Jason Brown said of Boswell's win by pinfall. "He is a young man that works hard in practice day in and day out. Colin was given the opportunity to step into the varsity lineup tonight and was able to put together a solid match for a quality win."

- 106 OLIVER (LOU) DEC 1-2 ALEC SCHOPFER (WEST B)
- 113 AREK HIVELY (WEST B) DEF 0-0 FORFEIT (LOU)
- 120 TRAVIS PIDGEON (WEST B) DEC 4-2 BRADLEY (LOU)
- 126 DONOVAN ANDERSON (WEST B) TF 17-2 KIRKBRIDE (LOU)
- 132 ROBBINS (LOU) DEC 2-7 ALAN OBRIEN (WEST B)
- 138 MASON HUGHES (WEST B) PIN :50 DIANTONIO (LOU)
- 145 BRAYCEN SHELTON (WEST B) DEC 8-3 DUGAN (LOU)
- 152 COLIN BOSWELL (WEST B) PIN 3:34 DECKERD (LOU)
- 160 KENNY FAULKNER (WEST B) PIN 3:05 ROBISON (LOU)
- 170 MASON (LOU) DEC 1-3 TYLER PIDGEON (WEST B)
- 182 WELSH (LOU) DEC 1-2 BRANDON KUTTNER (WEST B)
- 195 ADAM WILKE (WEST B) PIN 4:52 BRAHLER (LOU)
- 220 ZACHARY RUGGLES (WEST B) DEC 10-9 MIDDLETON (LOU)
- 285 CONNOR SHARP (WEST B) PIN 1:35 GOOCH (LOU)

Vilma urges rejection of Goodell motion to dismiss

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Jon Vilma urged a federal judge Friday to reject NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell's motion to dismiss the defamation lawsuit filed against him by the Saints linebacker.

Vilma's request to U.S. District Judge Ginger Berrigan argues Goodell acted with "reckless disregard for the truth" when basing initial allegations about Vilma upon one fired Saints assistant, Mike Cerullo, whose testimony has been inconsistent and challenged by other witnesses in the NFL's bounty probe of the Saints.

The motion centers on Goodell's public comments that Vilma held up \$10,000 cash in a team meeting in 2010, offering it to anyone who knocked Arizona quarterback Kurt Warner out of a playoff game.

During recent NFL appeal hearings in the bounty case, former Saints defensive coordinator Gregg Williams testified he never saw any money.

"Williams has always told Goodell, and continues to state, that there was never any cash put up for a bounty on any player. It was 'just talk.'" Vilma's motion reads. "Nonetheless, Goodell irresponsibly chose to contend that Vilma walked around with \$10,000 before the Cardinals game."

Vilma's season-long suspension and with various shorter bans for three other players were thrown out Tuesday by former Commissioner Paul Tagliabue, who Goodell had appointed to oversee the appeals of player punishment.

After Tagliabue's decision, the NFL Players Association dropped claims in federal court on behalf of Saints defensive end Will Smith and two former Saints: Cleveland linebacker Scott Fujita and free agent defensive lineman Anthony Hargrove. Vilma dropped his claims against the league concerning the disciplinary process, but moved forward with his defamation case against the commissioner, asking Berrigan to allow discovery, which consists of the collection of evidence and deposing of witnesses. Berrigan has so far delayed discovery while the Goodell's motion to dismiss the case is pending.

NHL files suit, labor charge against union

NEW YORK (AP) — Anticipating a possible antitrust suit, the NHL is bringing its labor fight against players to federal court.

The league announced Friday that it has filed a class action suit in U.S. District Court in New York, seeking to establish that its now 90-day lockout is legal.

In a separate move, the NHL filed an unfair labor practice charge with the National Labor Relations Board, claiming the players' association has bargained in bad faith.

The NHL said it believes the union's executive board is seeking authorization to give up its collective bargaining rights, a necessary step before players could file an antitrust lawsuit.

The league's moves were made Friday after the sides held a bargaining conference call, following two days of talks that included federal mediators.

Players' association special counsel Steve Fehr declined to comment on the union's plans regarding a so-called disclaimer of interest.

Toledo, Utah State poised for Potato Bowl matchup

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — In so many ways, 2012 has been a season of firsts for Utah State.

The No. 18 Aggies set a school record with 10 wins and won their first outright conference title since 1936.

The Aggies (10-2) reached those milestones with a smothering defense and senior class that has been among the best in school history.

Coach Gary Andersen says the only thing missing is a bowl victory.

The Aggies will get a chance to claim a bowl trophy Saturday when they take on Toledo in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

The Rockets (9-3) are playing in their third straight bowl and looking for their second straight postseason victory.

Big East's non-FBS schools to talk strategy

(AP) — Officials from the seven schools planning to break off from the Big East will hold a conference call Saturday to discuss leaving the league.

Big East's members that don't have FBS football programs have decided to split from the conference, a person familiar with the decision told the AP on Thursday.

No formal announcement has been made and the group of schools, which includes Georgetown, St. John's and Villanova, was still working on how best to go their own way. They have yet to officially inform the Big East leadership of their intentions.

Big East Commissioner Mike Aresco isn't expected to be involved in the conference call Saturday. The other non-football members of the Big East are DePaul, Marquette, Seton Hall and Providence.

Garcia tied for lead in Johor Open

JOHOR, Malaysia (AP) — Spain's Sergio Garcia birdied five of his first 12 holes in the Johor Open on Friday for a share of the lead in the suspended second round.

Garcia was 9 under overall with eight holes left when darkness forced the suspension of play in the Asian Tour event at rainy Horizon Hills. American David Lipsky also was 9 under after finishing off a first-round 63 in the morning. He was unable to start the second round before play was stopped.

South Africa's Ernie Els was 4 under overall with eight holes to play.

Rex's reversal: Tebow might run wildcat for Jets

FLORHAM PARK, N.J. (AP) — Tim Tebow might not be done in the wildcat after all.

New York Jets coach Rex Ryan reversed his decision Friday, saying the backup quarterback could possibly participate in the wildcat-style offense and on special teams as the personal punt protector at Tennessee on Monday night. On Thursday, Ryan said Tebow would be the backup to Mark Sanchez, but only in the conventional offense as he continues to recover from two broken ribs.

► TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
BOSTON RED SOX_Named Dave Joppie hitting coach for Pawtucket (IL); Rich Gedman hitting coach for Portland (EL); Nelson Paulino hitting coach for Salem (Carolina); Paul Abbott pitching coach and Tim Hyers hitting coach for Greenville (SAL); Noah Hall hitting coach for Lowell (NYP); Darren Fenster manager, Dick Such pitching coach and Tom Kotchman coach of the Gulf Coast League team; and Aly Gonzalez coach for the Dominican Summer League team.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS_Agreed to terms with OF Xavier Nady on a minor league contract.
NEW YORK YANKEES_Agreed to terms with INF Kevin Youkilis on a one-year contract. Designated LHP Josh Spence for assignment.
TEXAS RANGERS_Announced C Konrad Schmidt cleared waivers and was assigned outright to Round Rock (PCL).

National League
CINCINNATI REDS_Named Ronnie Ortegon major league assistant hitting coach, Ryan Jackson minor league hitting coordinator, Jim Riggleman manager for Louisville (IL), Delino DeShields manager for Pensacola (SL), Jose Nieves manager for Dayton (MWL) and Eli Marrero manager for the Arizona League team. Promoted Nick Kraul to director of base-ball operations, Jeff Graupe to director of player development, Sam Grossman to direc-tor of baseball research and analysis, Jeff Tay-lor to special assistant to the general manager and John Morris to special assistant to the general manager. Named Reed MacPhail baseball operations assistant and Will Harford professional scout.
HOUSTON ASTROS_Named Dyar Miller minor league pitching coordinator, Ralph Dick-enson minor league hitting coordinator, Craig Bjornson roving pitching instructor and Jeff Al-bert roving hitting instructor and Brendan Verner minor league strength and conditioning coordinator.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS_Agreed to terms with INF Ty Wigginton on a two-year contract.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS_Promoted man-ager Brian Daubach and hitting coach Mark Harris from Hagerstown (SAL) to Potomac (Carolina) and Tripp Kiester from the Gulf Coast League to Hagerstown. Named Patrick Anderson manager of Gulf Coast League Na-tionals and Gary Thurman outfield/baserun-ning coordinator.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
HOUSTON ROCKETS_Reassigned F Ter-rence Jones and F-C Donatas Motiejunas to Rio Grande Valley (NBADL).
FOOTBALL
National Football League
JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS_Waived WR Kevin Elliott. Signed OL Austin Pasztor from the practice squad. Signed WR Jerrell Jack-son to the practice squad.

COLLEGE
APPALACHIAN STATE_Named Scott Satter-field football coach.
CALIFORNIA_Named Pierre Ingram running backs coach.
GEORGIA TECH_Announced the NCAA has certified freshman G Solomon Poole's eligibil-ity to begin playing this season.
INDIANA STATE_Named Mike Sanford foot-ball coach.
LOUISIANA TECH_Named Skip Holtz football coach.
NORTH CAROLINA_Announced sophomore RB Gio Bernard is entering the NFL draft.

► PREP SCHEDULE

Area Basketball Schedule (subject to change)
Today
Alliance at Minerva (Girls)
Louisville at Salem (Girls)
Marlington at West Branch (Girls)
Dec. 17
Crestview at United (Girls)
Canfield at Austintown Fitch (Girls)
McDonald at Sebring (Girls)
Leetonia at Wellsville (Girls)
Lisbon at South Range (Girls)
Lowellville at Columbiana (Girls)
Dec. 18
Salem at East Liverpool (Boys)
West Branch at Canton South (Boys)
McDonald at Sebring (Boys)
Crestview at United (Boys)
Leetonia at Wellsville (Boys)
Lisbon at South Range (Boys)
Lowellville at Columbiana (Boys)
East Palestine at Jackson-Milton (Boys)
Dec. 20
United at South Range (Girls)
Howland at Canfield (Girls)
Western Reserve at Sebring (Girls)
Leetonia at McDonald (Girls)
Lisbon at East Palestine (Girls)
Southern Local at Columbiana (Girls)
Dec. 21
Salem at Minerva (Boys)
Alliance at West Branch (Boys)
Western Reserve at Sebring (Boys)
United at South Range (Boys)
Leetonia at McDonald (Boys)
Springfield at Crestview (Boys)
Lisbon at East Palestine (Boys)
Southern Local at Columbiana (Boys)
Dec. 22
Minerva at Canton South (Girls)
West Branch at Salem (Girls)
Columbiana at Bristol (Boys)
Dec. 26
Warren JFK at East Palestine (Boys)
Dec. 27
Carrollton at United (Girls)
Tuslaw at Minerva (Girls)
West Branch at Hoover High School (Girls)
Canfield at Hubbard
Sebring at Southington (Girls)
Malvern at Leetonia (Girls)
Lisbon at Heartland Christian (Girls)
Columbiana at Crestview (Girls)
Dec. 28
Carrollton at Salem (Boys)
Western Reserve at West Branch (Boys)
United at Leetonia (Boys)
Heartland Christian at Crestview (Boys/Girls)
Lisbon at Youngstown Christian (Boys)
Brookfield at South Range (Boys)
Dec. 29
Leetonia at United (Girls)
Salem at Minerva (Girls)
West Branch at Carrollton (Girls)
Boardman at Canfield (Girls)
Cardinal Mooney at South Range (Girls)
Western Reserve at Windham (Girls)
Jan. 2
Minerva at Tusky Valley (Girls)
Jan. 3
United at West Branch (Girls)
Poland Seminary at Canfield (Girls)
Sebring at Heartland Christian (Girls)
Youngstown Christian at Leetonia (Girls)
Lisbon at Southern Local (Girls)
South Range at Lowellville (Girls)
Columbiana at East Palestine (Girls)
Jan. 4
Canton South at Salem (Boys)
Minerva at West Branch (Boys)
Jackson Milton at Sebring (Boys)
Heartland Christian at United (Boys)
Youngstown Christian at Leetonia (Boys)
Columbiana at Crestview (Boys)
South Range at Western Reserve (Boys)
Jan. 5
United at Beaver Local (Girls)
Canfield at Salem (Boys)
Minerva at West Branch (Girls)
Carrollton at Salem (Girls)
Canfield at Boardman (Girls)
Lisbon at Heritage Christian (Girls)
Crestview at Leetonia (Boys)
Heritage Christian at Union (Boys)

► BOWL PICKS

By RALPH D. RUSSO (AP)
SATURDAY
New Mexico Bowl
Nevada (plus 9½) vs. Arizona
Good offenses, bad defenses. The bowl sea-son kicks off with a wild one ... ARIZONA 55-38.
Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
Toledo (plus 10½) vs. Utah State
MAC vs. WAC. Score one for WACtion ... UTAH STATE 28-17.
THURSDAY
Poinsettia Bowl
San Diego State (plus 2½) vs. BYU
Cougars have won four of last five bowl ap-pearances ... BYU 20-14.
FRIDAY
Beef 'O' Brady's Bowl
Ball State (plus 7) vs. UCF
Player to watch: Knights KR Quincy Mc-Duffie, has three TD returns BALL STATE 24-23.
SATURDAY, DEC. 22
New Orleans Bowl
East Carolina (plus 5½) vs. Louisiana-Lafayette
Ragin' Cajuns win first bowl game here last year ... LA-LAFAYETTE 38-31.
UPSET SPECIAL
MAACO Bowl
Boise State (minus 5½) vs. Washington
Broncos have won three straight bowls ... WASHINGTON 23-21.
MONDAY, DEC. 24
Hawaii Bowl
SMU (plus 12) vs. Fresno State
Last time June Jones returned to Hawaii (2008), Mustangs won ... FRESNO STATE 42-14.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 26
Little Caesars Pizza Bowl
Central Michigan (plus 5½) vs. Western Ken-tucky
First bowl for Hilltoppers ... WESTERN KEN-TUCKY 28-17.
THURSDAY, DEC. 27
Military Bowl
Bowling Green (plus 7) vs. San Jose State
Round 2 in MAC vs. WAC ... BOWLING GREEN 27-21.
Belk Bowl
Duke (plus 7½) vs. Cincinnati
Another Bearcats bowl game without the coach who got them there ... CINCINNATI 34-21.
Holiday Bowl
Baylor (plus 1) vs. UCLA
Old-school Holiday Bowl. Expect plenty of points ... UCLA 50-45.
FRIDAY, DEC. 28
Independence Bowl
Louisiana-Monroe (minus 7) vs. Ohio
Pair of September darlings face-off in De-cember ... LA-MONROE 37-24.
Russell Athletic Bowl
Virginia Tech (minus 2½) vs. Rutgers
Hokies 0-2 against Big East this season ... RUTGERS 20-16.
BEST BET
Meineke Car Care Bowl
Minnesota (plus 12½) vs. Texas Tech
Gophers won two Big Ten games. And one was against Illinois ... TEXAS TECH 48-10.
SATURDAY, DEC. 29
Armed Forces Bowl
Rice (plus 1) vs. Air Force
Both teams like to run. Neither can stop the run ... AIR FORCE 38-35.
Fight Hunger Bowl
Arizona State (minus 14) vs. Navy
Navy is rarely fun to play in a bowl ... ARI-ZONA STATE 35-24
Pinstripe Bowl
Syracuse (plus 4) vs. West Virginia
NFL prospects playing quarterback for both teams ... WEST VIRGINIA 48-42.
Alamo Bowl
Texas (plus 2) vs. Oregon State
Longhorns try to avoid going into offseason on three-game skid ... TEXAS 28-24
Buffalo Wild Wings Bowl
Michigan State (plus 2½) vs. TCU
In a year full of excruciating losses for Spar-tans, another ... TCU 17-16
MONDAY, DEC. 31
Music City Bowl
Vanderbilt (minus 6½) vs. N.C. State
Player to watch: Commodores WR Jordan Matthews ... N.C. STATE 28-24.
Sun Bowl
Georgia Tech (plus 10) vs. Southern Califor-nia
Not exactly the way most figured Matt Barkley would end his career ... USC 45-21.
Liberty Bowl
Iowa State (plus 3) vs. Tulsa
Golden Hurricane, known for offense, bring pretty good D ... TULSA 23-17.
Chick-fil-A Bowl
LSU (minus 3) vs. Clemson
SEC Tigers ACC Tigers ... LSU 31-21.
TUESDAY, JAN. 1
Heart of Dallas Bowl
Purdue (plus 18½) vs. Oklahoma State
Cowboys are better than 7-5 record ... OKLAHOMA STATE 45-24.
Gator Bowl
Mississippi State (minus 2) vs. Northwestern
Wildcats last and only bowl win: 1949 Rose Bowl ... NORTHWESTERN 38-37.
Capital One Bowl
Georgia (minus 8) vs. Nebraska
Only two bowl teams have worse turnover margin than Nebraska's ... GEORGIA 28-21.
Outback Bowl
South Carolina (minus 4) vs. Michigan
Players to watch: Gamecocks DE Jadeveon Clowney vs. Wolverines OT Taylor Lewan ... SOUTH CAROLINA 24-13.
Rose Bowl
Stanford (minus 6½) vs. Wisconsin
Power vs. power ... STANFORD 24-18.
Orange Bowl
Northern Illinois (plus 15) vs. Florida State
Can Huskies pull a Boise State? ... FLORIDA STATE 35-14.
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 2
Sugar Bowl
Florida (minus 13½) vs. Louisville
Gators D will be toughest test by far for Car-dinals QB Teddy Bridgewater ... FLORIDA 31-14.
THURSDAY, JAN. 3
Fiesta Bowl
Kansas State (plus 9½) vs. Oregon
Would make for a nice semifinal ... KANSAS STATE 35-31.
FRIDAY, JAN. 4
Cotton Bowl
Texas A&M (minus 3) vs. Oklahoma
Heisman winner have won last three bowl games ... OKLAHOMA 38-37
SATURDAY, JAN. 5
BBVA Compass Bowl
Pittsburgh (plus 1½) vs. Mississippi
Three trips in a row to Birmingham, Ala., for Panthers ... MISSISSIPPI 31-24.
SUNDAY, JAN. 6
GoDaddy.com Bowl
Kent State (plus 4) vs. Arkansas State
Player to watch: Golden Flashes RB Dri Archer ... ARKANSAS STATE 35-30.
MONDAY, JAN. 7
BCS National Championship
Notre Dame (plus 7½) vs. Alabama
Roll Repeat! ... ALABAMA 21-10.
Championship weekend record: 7-3 (straight); 4-5 (vs. points)
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Alfred Dunhill Championship Leading Scores
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Friday
At Leopard Creek Country Club Course
Malelane, South Africa
Purse: \$1.94 million
Yardage: 7,326; Par: 72
Second Round
Gregory Bourdy, France 66-65—131
Charl Schwartzel, South Africa 67-64—131
Darren Fichardt, South Africa 67-68—135
Louis de Jager, South Africa 67-69—136
Steve Webster, England 67-69—136
Maximilian Kieffer, Germany 68-69—137
Robert Rock, England 69-68—137
Tyrone Aswegen, South Africa 70-68—138
Richard Finch, England 70-68—138
Scott Jamieson, Scotland 70-68—138
Ockie Strydom, South Africa 69-69—138
Richard Sterne, South Africa 70-68—138
Tommy Fleetwood, England 69-69—138
Tyrone Mordt, South Africa 71-67—138
Anton Hand, South Africa 73-66—139
Brandon Grace, South Africa 68-71—139
Richard McEvoy, England 69-70—139
Kristoffer Broberg, Sweden 70-69—139
Garth Mulroy, South Africa 71-68—139
Oscar Floren, Sweden 69-70—139
Keith Horne, South Africa 70-69—139

Australian PGA Scores
The Associated Pres
Friday
At Palmer Cooloom Resort
Cooloom, Australia
Purse: \$1.31 million
Yardage: 6,687; Par: 72
Second Round
Daniel Popovic, Australia 64-70—134
Zhang Xinjun, China 67-67—134
Geoff Ogilvy, Australia 67-69—136
Matthew Griffin, Australia 69-67—136
Mathew Goggin, Australia 71-66—137
Steven Bowditch, Australia 70-67—137
Brad Kennedy, Australia 69-68—137
Rod Pampling, Australia 71-67—138
Peter Senior, Australia 68-70—138
Stephen Leaney, Australia 69-70—139
Steve Conran, Australia 69-70—139
Matthew Millar, Australia 73-66—139
Richard Green, Australia 71-68—139
Darren Clarke, Northern Ireland 70-69—139
Leigh McKeechrie, Australia 70-69—139
Jason Kang, United States 70-69—139
Kurt Barnes, Australia 74-65—139
Scott Strange, Australia 66-73—139
Marc Leishman, Australia 69-70—139
Jamie Arnold, Australia 71-68—139
Cameron Percy, Australia 70-70—140
Brendan Jones, Australia 73-67—140
Robert Allenby, Australia 73-67—140
Peter Fowler, Australia 70-70—140
Bronson La'Cassie, Australia 69-71—140
Stephen Darnhall, Australia 68-72—140
Heath Reed, Australia 72-68—140
Adam Crawford, Australia 70-71—141
Anthony Brown, Australia 73-68—141
Josh Geary, New Zealand 69-72—141
Greg Chalmers, Australia 72-69—141

► CAVS BOX

MILWAUKEE (90)
Daniels 2-5 0-0 5, Mbah a Moute 4-7 1-4 9, Sanders 4-7 2-2 10, Jennings 5-20 4-4 16, Ellis 12-24 8-11 33, Ilyasova 4-10 2-2 11, Udoh 1-3 1-2 3, Lamb 0-5 1-2 1, Gooden 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 33-83 19-27 90.
CLEVELAND (86)
Gee 4-8 0-0 9, Thompson 1-5 3-4 5, Varejao 4-9 0-0 8, Irving 9-23 6-6 26, Miles 6-14 2-2 17, Gibson 4-10 0-0 11, Zeller 2-7 2-2 6, Sloan 1-3 0-0 2, Samuels 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 32-81 13-14 86.
Milwaukee 25 27 20 18—90
Cleveland 17 26 24 19—86
3-Point Goals_Milwaukee 5-15 (Jennings 2-9, Daniels 1-1, Ilyasova 1-1, Ellis 1-4), Cleveland 9-18 (Miles 3-5, Gibson 3-7, Irving 2-5, Gee 1-1). Fouled Out_None. Rebounds_Milwaukee 55 (Sanders 10), Cleveland 53 (Varejao 18). Assists_Milwaukee 23 (Jennings 8), Cleve-land 21 (Gee 5). Total Fouls_Milwaukee 18, Cleveland 22. A_14, 146 (20,562).

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► NBA GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	17	5	.773	—
Brooklyn	12	9	.571	4½
Boston	12	10	.545	5
Philadelphia	12	11	.522	5½
Toronto	5	19	.208	13
Southeast Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	14	6	.700	—
Atlanta	14	6	.700	—
Orlando	9	13	.409	6
Charlotte	7	15	.318	8
Washington	3	17	.150	11
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	12	9	.571	—
Chicago	12	9	.571	—
Indiana	12	11	.522	1
Detroit	7	17	.292	6½
Cleveland	5	19	.208	8½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Southwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	18	6	.750	—
Memphis	14	5	.737	1½
Houston	11	11	.500	6
Dallas	11	12	.478	6½
New Orleans	5	17	.227	12
Northwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Oklahoma City	19	4	.826	—
Utah	13	10	.565	6
Minnesota	11	9	.550	6½
Denver	11	12	.478	8
Portland	10	12	.455	8½
Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Clippers	16	6	.727	—
Golden State	15	8	.652	1½
L.A. Lakers	10	14	.417	7
Phoenix	8	15	.348	8½
Sacramento	7	15	.318	9

Thursday's Games
Atlanta 113, Charlotte 90
New York 116, L.A. Lakers 107
Portland 98, San Antonio 90
Friday's Games
Toronto 95, Dallas 74
Indiana 95, Philadelphia 85
Orlando 99, Golden State 85
L.A. Lakers 102, Washington 96
Milwaukee 90, Cleveland 86
Brooklyn 107, Detroit 105
Houston 101, Boston 89
Minnesota 113, New Orleans 102
Oklahoma City 113, Sacramento 103
Utah at Phoenix, (n)
Memphis at Denver, (n)

Saturday's Games
Golden State at Atlanta, 7 p.m.
Cleveland at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Brooklyn at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Dallas at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Boston at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
Memphis at Utah, 9 p.m.
Sunday's Games
Houston at Toronto, 1 p.m.
Denver at Sacramento, 6 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.
New Orleans at Portland, 9 p.m.

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► NFL GLANCE

AMERICAN CONFERENCE						
East						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-New England	10	3	0	.769	472	274
N.Y. Jets	6	7	0	.462	245	306
Buffalo	5	8	0	.385	289	352
Miami	5	8	0	.385	240	276
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
x-Houston	11	2	0	.846	365	263
Indianapolis	9	4	0	.692	292	329
Tennessee	4	9	0	.308	271	386
Jacksonville	2	11	0	.154	216	359
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	9	4	0	.692	331	273
Cincinnati	8	6	0	.571	355	293
Pittsburgh	7	6	0	.538	278	264
Cleveland	5	8	0	.385	259	272
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Denver	10	3	0	.769	375	257
San Diego	5	8	0	.385	292	281
Oakland	3	10	0	.231	248	402
Kansas City	2	11	0	.154	195	352

NATIONAL CONFERENCE						
East						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	8 <td>5<td>0</td><td>.615<td>373</td><td>270</td></td></td>	5 <td>0</td> <td>.615<td>373</td><td>270</td></td>	0	.615 <td>373</td> <td>270</td>	373	270
Washington	7 <td>6<td>0</td><td>.538<td>343</td><td>329</td></td></td>	6 <td>0</td> <td>.538<td>343</td><td>329</td></td>	0	.538 <td>343</td> <td>329</td>	343	329
Dallas	7 <td>6<td>0</td><td>.538</td><td>300</td><td>314</td></td>	6 <td>0</td> <td>.538</td> <td>300</td> <td>314</td>	0	.538	300	314
Philadelphia	4	10	0	.286	253	375
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Atlanta	11	2	0	.846	337	259
Tampa Bay	6 <td>7<td>0</td><td>.462</td><td>354</td><td>308</td></td>	7 <td>0</td> <td>.462</td> <td>354</td> <td>308</td>	0	.462	354	308
New Orleans	5 <td>8</td> <td>0</td> <td>.385</td> <td>348</td> <td>379</td>	8	0	.385	348	379
Carolina	4 <td>9</td> <td>0</td> <td>.308</td> <td>265</td> <td>312</td>	9	0	.308	265	312
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Green Bay	9 <td>4</td> <td>0</td> <td>.692</td> <td>323</td> <td>279</td>	4	0	.692	323	279
Chicago	8 <td>5</td> <td>0</td> <td>.615</td> <td>308</td> <td>219</td>	5	0	.615	308	219
Minnesota	7 <td>6</td> <td>0</td> <td>.538</td> <td>283</td> <td>286</td>	6	0	.538	283	286
Detroit	4 <td>9</td> <td>0</td> <td>.308</td> <td>320</td> <td>342</td>	9	0	.308	320	342
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Francisco	9 <td>3<td>1</td><td>.731</td><td>316</td><td>184</td></td>	3 <td>1</td> <td>.731</td> <td>316</td> <td>184</td>	1	.731	316	184
Seattle	8 <td>5</td> <td>0</td> <td>.615</td> <td>300</td> <td>202</td>	5	0	.615	300	202
St. Louis	6 <td>6</td> <td>1</td> <td>.500</td> <td>236</td> <td>279</td>	6	1	.500	236	279
Arizona	4 <td>9</td> <td>0</td> <td>.308</td> <td>186</td> <td>292</td>	9	0	.308	186	292
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14 With us now

15 Tech-support caller

16 Moldy

18 Degas contemporary

20 — "wester

21 Stockholm carrier

22 Fixed, as attention

25 Lime cooler

28 Porgy's woman

29 Franc's replacer

33 Type of cuisine (hyph.)

35 Nearsighted Mr.

36 Crime fighter — Ness

37 Bag fabric

38 Earns as profit

39 Hammer target

41 Fabric meas.

42 Treated unfairly

45 Mexican Mrs.

48 IRS time

49 Ridiculous

53 Cactus drinks

56 Bye!

57 Burden

58 911 responder

59 Norwegian name

60 Tender pods

61 Ready to go

62 Prom escort

DOWN

1 Cushy job

2 "Mona —"

3 Comet, to an ancient

4 Kitchen gadget

5 Wool supplier

6 Tall flowers

7 Lands a jet

8 The lady

9 Hard benches

10 Region

11 Docs prescribe them

17 Payable

19 Neighbor of India

23 Annoy

24 Cherished for —

25 Two fives

26 Edit out

27 Kind of interview

30 Hostile, as a crowd

31 Pothole locale

32 Sorry!

34 Velvety plant

35 Draft animals

37 Chomped

39 City near Pompeii

40 Chalet (hyph.)

43 Yes, in Yokohama

44 Mince

45 What red means

46 Descartes' name

47 Soft tone

50 Turkish coin

51 Cafe au —

52 Team of oxen

54 — Nimitz

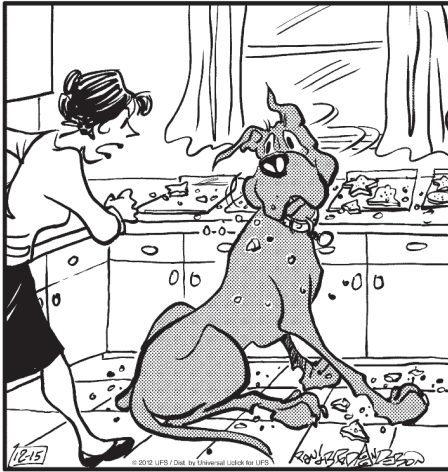
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"That innocent look won't work when you have a mouthful of Christmas cookies I just baked."

HOROSCOPE

By HOLIDAY MATHIS
12/15/12

Venus Favors the Exotic

Venus does a cha-cha-cha into Sagittarius, inspiring a fascination with the spice of distant lands. And though it seems improbable to crave something you'd never tasted in the first place, such crav-ings will become a regular occur-rence between now and Jan. 8, 2013. Expectation and imagina-tion mingle to create exotic ap-petites.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Go directly into the situations you are likely to fail. It's the only way you learn the beauty of making mistakes. The only real failure is avoiding the unfamiliar situations that will help you grow.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You're not always the self-assured bull. Sometimes you're the sensi-tive, flower sniffing Ferdinand who has no interest in fighting, no mat-ter how insistently the matador taunts you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). How can you praise what cannot be known? With a hopeful heart, that's how. Your capacity for imag-ination, magic and wonder is boundless today.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). It is natural, preferred even, to question what you can do. Humil-ity and success will walk hand in hand. The ones who are com-pletely confident through and through are all, coincidentally, quite mad.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You have a private agenda and a pub-lic agenda — the two are closely related. It's just that you can't tell everyone the extent of what you want to do. That would ruin the surprise.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). The ones who ignore or reject re-ality are at a distinct disadvan-tage. You may not entirely like what's handed to you, but accept-ing it is the first step to change.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Everyone senses that you're an independent. For you, social ap-proval is not required. You act ac-cording to your values and the approval that comes or doesn't has no bearing on your next move.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You will grow in awareness. It's al-most like you'll spend the whole day waking up. You'll become more alert with every hour and make an important discovery to-ward the end of the day.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). When you were a child you sometimes would forget to finish things. But life has taught you the importance of completion. Today you'll wrap up all the loose ends so as not to leave things hanging.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your clear goals are an at-traction magnet. The people who are attracted to you may not be able to help you with those goals, but they will help you in other re-gards because you they admire your focus.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your sign mate, Abraham Lincoln, said, "Reputation is the shadow, character is the tree." Even though some of what you do to build your character is difficult, life is easier for those of excellent character.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There is not one correct solution, but many correct possibilities for solving today's problems. You are clever and creative, so you'll come up with fixes that are inter-esting and not obvious.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (DE-CEMBER 15). As you count your blessings, more show up to be counted. Your work changes in 2013 and life improvements follow the change. January celebrations bond family. February ends a dis-pute. March brings fresh focus on love. The best times to invest are May and July. Do your research and follow known paths. Cancer and Scorpio adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 11, 15, 48, 37 and 28.

ASTROLOGICAL QUES-TIONS: "I think I need assertive-ness training. Everyone walks all over me, especially this time of year. I'm always over-scheduling myself, cooking, hosting and giving until it hurts. How can a Leo woman be more assertive?"

Leos are known for their gen-erosity, and they hate to let others down. Alas, if you don't take care of yourself, you won't have any-thing to give others. Try these as-sertiveness tips on for size:

—Use the words "no, thank you," or "I'm sorry, I can't" instead of "maybe," "not this time," or "we'll see."

—Keep your communication short and sweet. Most times, you don't owe anyone an explanation, and if you do, a simple one is best. For instead of droning on about why you can't make it to a particular event, say, "I'm sorry, I have other plans."

—Appreciate the other per-son's feelings, but don't let that change your answer. Example: "I can sense how my response is disappointing to you, and I'm sorry for you that it has to be this way right now."

—Suggest alternate solutions if they come to you. If not, remem-ber that there are two kinds of problems in the world, your prob-lems and other people's prob-lems. Recognize the difference.

Need gift idea? How about some bath salts?



Heloise

Dear Readers: With the holidays right around the cor-ner, here is a great gift idea that you can make at home, is low-cost and the recipient will just love. It is Heloise's BATH SALTS! It's easy to make, and here is what you need:

- 3 cups Epsom salts
- 1 tablespoon glycerin
- Food coloring
- Perfume/cologne or an essential oil

To make, pour the Epsom salts into a glass or metal bowl (DO NOT use plastic — this recipe could stain it). Add the glycerin, a couple of drops of food coloring and a little perfume, cologne or essential oil. Mix well until the food coloring and glycerin are thor-oughly blended.

NOTE: If the bath salts are not fragrant enough, you can add a bit more perfume, cologne or essential oil.

Be sure to put the bath salts into a decorative jar with a tight-sealing lid so the fragrance does not evaporate. To use, add 1/2 cup to your bath, sit back and enjoy! — **Heloise**

RECIPE ORGANIZATION

Dear Heloise: After years of collecting recipes, I had them everywhere. I decided it was time to get or-ganized, so I rounded up all of my recipes (hundreds of them) and sorted them into categories: appetizers, salads, casseroles, meats, desserts, etc. I have a printer/copier, so, working with one category at a time, I placed the recipes on it one page at a time and copied them. I bought plastic sleeves that come 50 to a package and placed my copied pages in them in a three-ring binder. I had so many that I had to use one binder for foods and a second binder for sweets (desserts and candies). I now have all of my recipes at my fingertips. It's so easy to just take out the one particular plastic sleeve to use, and as an added bonus, it wipes right off if anything is spilled, thus saving the recipe. It was well worth my time, and while doing this, I found recipes I hadn't used in years! — **Carol in Massillon, Ohio**

TAKE CARE

Dear Heloise: My mother was raised during the Depression. What you had, you took good care of. That has held true for me through the years in the kitchen — pots, pans, utensils, dishes, etc. You cleaned them well enough to be displayed. It's just good common sense to care for things and not be a part of the "throw-away" society. I've lived by this adage for years, and still have many lovely older items in my home. — **Laura in San Antonio**

Good cookware can last several generations! I have my grandmother's cast-iron skillet, and it makes the best cornbread. — **Heloise**

Dad drops by college more than kids want

DEAR ABBY: I'm a senior in high school and will be off to college next year. Like my older brother, I will be attending a school 30 minutes from home.

A problem he has, and that I'm worried about, is setting boundaries with our father. Dad works near the college and insists on stopping by to visit my brother at least once a week. If my brother refuses to meet with him, Dad guilt-trips him and gets angry.

I want to experience independence in college. How can I avoid this problem and set visitation boundaries with my father? — **COLLEGE BOUND IN GEOR-GIA**

DEAR COLLEGE BOUND: So many people your age who write to me have no father involved in their lives at all, and you appear to have a little too much. I agree that by the time a student reaches college, it is time for more independence than your father seems willing to give your brother.

If your mother is in the picture, perhaps she could reason with your dad. However, if that's not possible, your brother — and you — may have to transfer to other schools to put some distance between you.

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend and his 4-year-old daughter live with me and my two children. We keep our finances separate. I am self-employed and work mostly from home. I also take care of the household chores.

My problem is that he thinks because I work from home I should take care of his daughter during the day, versus her going to day care. My schedule is very full, and I enjoy being able to work from home without the interruptions of having to play nanny while my children are in school. However, I feel guilty about not helping him out on this.

Am I selfish for not helping him, or am I justified in my feelings? — **DON'T WANT TO BE THE NANNY**

DEAR DON'T WANT TO BE THE NANNY: If you need the income from your business, that's where you should be directing your energy. Your job, coupled with the housework, is enough to handle.

Your boyfriend is employed, and he can place the 4-year-old in day care during the hours your children are in school. Depending upon your schedule, including his daughter in whatever activities your children are involved in should not take up too large a chunk of your time.

Cheating husband should have talked about needs



Annie's Mailbox

Dear Annie: I read the letter from "Your Hus-band," who wrote an open letter to his wife explaining how her unwillingness to have sex justified his affair. He was obviously pouring his heart out. I am a 54-year-old woman on hor-mone replacement. My husband and I enjoy a wonderful sex life, but as I get older, I am less and less interested. I love him and want to make him happy, so once a week I force myself to have sex. If you love someone, you try to understand their needs. But I respect hard honesty. If he had told his wife how he felt before his affair, they might have reached a mutual agreement. Now, it's a betrayal of the marriage. He made a decision for both of them without con-

SATURDAY												DEC. 15	
	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	
(2) (KDKA)	Great	Paid	Paid	Paid	College Basketball: Crossroads Classic					Boxing			
(3) (WKYC)	Lazy	Wiggles	Paid	Best Gift	Action Sports From Breckenridge, Colo.					Golf PNC Father/Son Challenge, First Day			
(4) (WTAE)	Green	House	André Rieu		Festival on Ice			Wipeout 'PG' Ⓢ	ESPN Sports Saturday (N)				
(5) (WEWS)	Paid	SMART	André Rieu		Holiday Season			Wipeout 'PG' Ⓢ	ESPN Sports Saturday (N)				
(8) (WJW)	Animals	Rescue	Adven.	Career	On Spot	Neighbor	My Pillow	Ladder	Bloopers	Bloopers	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
(9) (WTOV)	Thanksgiving		Green	Bob Vila	Action Sports From Breckenridge, Colo.					Golf PNC Father/Son Challenge, First Day			
(11) (WPXI)	Lazy	Wiggles	Noodle	Cash	Action Sports From Breckenridge, Colo.					Golf PNC Father/Son Challenge, First Day			
(17) (WDLI)	Lassie	Goliath	Ishine	Inspir.	Veggie	Penguins!	Tails	Heroes & Legends	News	Praise the Lord 'Y'			
(19) (WOIO)	Best Gift	Paid	Paid	Paid	College Basketball: Crossroads Classic					Boxing			
(21) (WFMY)	C Malone	Sleep	To Be Announced		Action Sports From Breckenridge, Colo.					Golf PNC Father/Son Challenge, First Day			
(22) (WCWB)	Mike	Bra	The Story of the First Noel 'G' Ⓢ			Movie: ★★ 'Moonlight Mile' (2002)					Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	
(23) (WVPX)	Paid	Paid	Earl	Earl	Movie: ★★ 'The Guardian' (2006) Kevin Costner. Ⓢ					NUMB3RS Ⓢ 'PG'			
(27) (WKBN)	Christmas		Xmas	Xmas	College Basketball: Crossroads Classic					Boxing			
(33) (WYTV)	Cook	Paid	Paid	Paid	André Rieu			Wipeout 'PG' Ⓢ	ESPN Sports Saturday (N)				
(43) (WUAB)	Cook	Paid	Paid	Paid	Defrost	Paid	Paid	Hap Days	70s	70s	Mother	Mother	
(49) (WEAO)	Dr. Fuhrman-Immunity		Incredible Health-Joel			Blood Sugar Solution			John Tesh Big Band Live 'G'				
(53) (WPGH)	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Movie: ★★ 'Meet John Doe' (1941, Drama)					Paid	30 Rock	30 Rock	
(55) (WBXN)	Movie: 'Deep Winter' (2008) Eric Lively.												
(67) (WOAC)	Faithville	Creature	Science	Stories	End of	Safety	W. Crews	Health and Nutrition	Road	Hope	Partner		
(A&E)	Flipping Vegas 'PG'	Be the Boss 'PG'	Be the Boss 'PG'		Movie: ★★ 'The Shawshank Redemption' (1994) Ⓢ								
(AMC)	(11:15) 'High Plains Drifter'				(45) Movie: ★★ 'Miracle' (2004, Drama) Kurt Russell. Ⓢ				(45) 'Miracle on 34th Street'				
(AP)	To Be Announced				To Be Announced				To Be Announced				
(BET)	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	Moesha	'Barbershop 2: Back'			
(BRAV)	Top Chef: Seattle	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Shahs of Sunset	Shahs of Sunset				
(CNBC)	Paid	Paid	Paid	Defrost	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Cook	Paid	Paid	Paid	
(CNN)	CNN Newsroom (N)		Your Money (N)		CNN Newsroom (N)						Gupta	CNN Newsroom (N)	
(CSPN)	(10:00) Washington This Week												
(DISC)	Road to Revenge	Almost, Away	Almost, Away		Behind the Scenes			Gold Rush Ⓢ 'PG'		Gold Rush Ⓢ 'PG'			
(DISN)	Wizards	Wizards	Good	Good	Austin	Shake It	Dog	Dog	ANT	ANT	Good	Austin	
(E!)	Ice-Coco	Ice-Coco	Leann Rimes '14'		E! News			The Voice The top 12 artists perform. 'PG'				The Voice Ⓢ 'PG'	
(ESPN)	SportCtr	Football	College Football Gildan New Mexico Bowl -- Arizona vs. Nevada. (N) (Live)						College Football				
(ESPN2)	SportCtr	SportCtr	College Football NCAA Division II, Final: Teams TBA. (N) Ⓢ						Sports.				
(FAM)	Xmas	Frosty's	Jack Frost 'G'		'Rudolph and Frosty's Christmas in July'				Movie: 'Disney's A Christmas Carol'				
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(FOOD)	Chopped 'G'		Challenge		Restaurant: Im.			All-Star Family		Diners	Diners	Iron Chef America	
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(GAC)	Top 20 Countdown		Kimberly	Kimberly	Year-Christmas			Road Tasted		More Music Videos		Scott McCreery	
(HBO)	(11:00) 'Contagion'		(12:50) Movie: ★★ 'Rio' Ⓢ		Mel Brooks			Movie: ★★ 'Red Tails' (2012) Ⓢ		Big Year			
(HGTV)	Crashers		Crashers		Love It or List It 'G'			Celebrity Holiday		Celebrity Homes		Million Dollar Rooms	
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(LIFE)	Movie: ★★ 'Deck the Halls' 'PG' Ⓢ												
(MAX)	(11:30) 'Hard Rain'	(10) Movie: 'Executive Target'	'House of the Rising Sun' Ⓢ						(15) Movie: ★ 'The Haunting' (1999)				
(MSNBC)	Weekends With Alex Witt (N)				MSNBC Live (N)		MSNBC Live (N)		MSNBC Live (N)		Documentary		
(MTV)	(10) Jersey Shore '14' Ⓢ				(20) Jersey Shore		Jersey Shore '14'		(40) Jersey Shore '14' Ⓢ		(4:50) Jersey Shore		
(NICK)	T.U.F.F.	Sponge.	Power	Parents	Parents	Parents	Kung Fu	Kung Fu	Sponge.	Sponge.	Sponge.	Sponge.	
(OVC)	Saturday Morning		Canon Cameras		Jill & Dan's Gift Favorites 'Canon'			Canon Cameras		Clarks Footwear			
(SHOW)	(11:45) Movie: 'Paycheck' Ⓢ		(45) Movie: ★ 'Brake' Ⓢ		(15) Movie: ★★ 'Real Steel' (2011) Ⓢ			Untold					
(SYFY)	My	Movie: ★★ 'Primal' (2010) Ⓢ	Movie: ★ 'The Hills Have Eyes 2' (2007)					'Zombie Apocalypse' (2011)					
(TBN)	Lassie	Goliath	Ishine	Inspir.	Veggie	Penguins!	Tails	Heroes & Legends	News	Praise the Lord 'Y'			
(TCM)	'Saint's Vac.'		(15) Movie: 'The Deadly Companions'			Movie: ★★ 'Mutiny on the Bounty' (1962) Ⓢ							
(TLC)	Deck Halls	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	Undercover Boss Ⓢ	
(TNN)	(08) Ink Master 'Holy Ink' '14'		(16) Ink Master '14'		(24) Ink Master '14'		(32) Ink Master '14'		(40) Movie: 'A Bronx Tale' Ⓢ				
(TNT)	Movie: ★★ 'Road to Perdition' (2002) Ⓢ					Movie: ★★ 'American Gangster' (2007) Denzel Washington.					Town		
(TOON)	Johnny T	Johnny T	Johnny T	MAD 'PG'	Annoying	Annoying	Adven	Save Christmas	Ed, Edd	Scoboy	Grinch		
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(USA)	NCIS Ⓢ 'PG' Ⓢ		NCIS Ⓢ '14' Ⓢ		NCIS Ⓢ 'PG' Ⓢ		NCIS Ⓢ '14' Ⓢ		NCIS Ⓢ 'PG' Ⓢ		Law & Order: SVU		
(WGN)	Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		
(WTBS)	Movie: ★★ 'Evan Almighty' (2007) Ⓢ					Movie: ★★ 'Tommy Boy' (1995) Ⓢ			Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	

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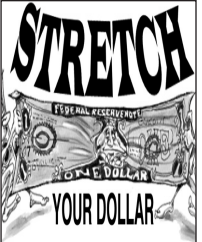
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Man gets life for 1957 slaying of girl

SYCAMORE, Ill. (AP) — A former Washington state policeman convicted of kidnapping and murdering a young Illinois girl more than a half century ago was sentenced Monday to life in prison.

Jack McCullough, 73, was convicted in September in one of the oldest unsolved crimes in American history to make it to trial. Judge James Hallock had the option of sentencing McCullough from 14 years in prison to life.

The sentencing took place in Sycamore, the small community where 7-year-old Maria Ridulph was abducted and killed in December of 1957. Like McCullough's trial, it was expected to be emotional for members of both Ridulph's family and McCullough's family, as well as 63-year-old Kathy Chapman, a childhood friend of Ridulph's who was with her until moments before she was abducted. Chapman testified at the trial.

Prosecutors contended that on Dec. 3, 1957, a 17-year-old McCullough, known then as John Tessier, approached Ridulph and Chapman in front of Ridulph's house and played with them for a while. When Chapman ran home to get her mittens, prosecutors said, McCullough dragged Maria into an alley and choked her with a wire, then stabbed her in the throat and chest. Then, they said, he loaded her body into his car and drove more than 100 miles to where he disposed of her body in a wooded area.

Ridulph's disappearance drew national attention during a massive, months-long search before her body was found the following April. Reportedly, President Dwight Eisenhower and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover asked for regular updates on the case.

McCullough was one of more than 100 people who were briefly suspects, but he had what seemed like a solid alibi. On the day the girl vanished, he told investigators, he'd been traveling to Chicago for a medical exam before joining the Air Force.

McCullough eventually settled in Seattle, working as a Washington state police officer.

Ultimately, members of his own family helped convict him. During the trial, Janet Tessier, McCullough's half-sister, described McCullough's mother making incriminating comments about McCullough on her deathbed in 1994. The mother acknowledged that she had lied to police when she supported McCullough's alibi.

Once a new investigation was launched, authorities went to Chapman, Ridulph's childhood friend, and showed her an old photograph if McCullough. A half century later, she identified him as the teenager who came up to them that snowy day and introduced himself as "Johnny."

McCullough did not testify.

Pot proponents hopeful, wary after Obama's words

SEATTLE (AP) — Backers of new laws that legalized marijuana in Washington and Colorado were cautiously optimistic after President Barack Obama said Uncle Sam wouldn't pursue pot users in those states.

Following the November votes in Washington and Colorado, the Justice Department reiterated that marijuana remains illegal under federal law, but had been vague about what its specific response would be.

In a Barbara Walters interview airing Friday on ABC, President Barack Obama said: "It does not make sense from a prioritization point of view" to focus on drug use in states where it is now legal.

Marijuana activists were relieved at Obama's comments, but still had questions about how regulation will work.

They said even if individual users aren't charged with crimes, marijuana producers and sellers could be subject to prosecution, civil forfeiture and other legal roadblocks.

And the president didn't specifically address how the federal government would respond to state officials in Washington and Colorado, who under the new laws are now tasked with coming up with regulations for commercial pot sales.

Obama simply told Walters that going after "recreational users" would not be a "top priority."

"There's some signal of hope," Alison Holcomb, who led Washington's legalization drive, said of Obama's statements. "I think it's correct that we ultimately we need a legislative resolution."

But Tom Angell of the group Marijuana Majority said Obama's comment don't add anything new.

He said the federal government rarely goes after users and Obama can do more besides passing the responsibility to Congress. Angell said Obama can use executive power to re-classify marijuana as a legal drug.

Federal prosecutors haven't generally targeted users in the 18 states and Washington, D.C. that allow people to use marijuana for medical reasons.

However, federal agents have still cracked down on dozens of dispensaries in some of those states.

Rep. Suzan DelBene, D-Wash., said Obama's statements weren't definitive but were encouraging.

"I think the president's comments are a good sign that the federal government might be willing to work with our state as we work to develop a new regulatory model for marijuana," she said.

Washington's Governor-elect Jay Inslee said Obama's statement didn't answer some key questions, but makes for a positive start to state operations.

Legalization activists in Colorado tried and failed to get the president to take a stand on the marijuana measure on his many campaign trips to the battleground state.

"Here's the president, an admitted marijuana user in his youth, who's previously shown strong support for this, and then he didn't want to touch it because it was such a close race," said Joe Megyesy, a spokesman for Colorado marijuana legalization group.

Possession of up to an ounce of marijuana is now legal for adults over 21 in both Washington and Colorado.

Washington's Liquor Control Board, which has been regulating alcohol for 78 years, has a year to adopt rules for the fledgling pot industry.

Spokesman Mikhail Carpenter said Obama's comments provide clarification on the issue, but won't change how the board is moving forward because they are already well into the process.

Carpenter said that the rulemaking process on producer licenses began last week. Public hearings will start sometime in April.

Colorado's marijuana measure requires lawmakers to allow commercial pot sales, and a state task force that will begin writing those regulations meets Monday.

State officials have reached out to the Justice Department seeking help on regulating a new legal marijuana industry but haven't heard back.

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